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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916

\$1.00 PER YEAR

"BABY WEEK" WILL BE FITTINGLY OBSERVED BY MURRAY WOMEN.

In keeping with the nationwide program for the observance of "baby week," March 4-11, the various women's clubs of the city will make a special endeavor to carry out one of the most interesting weeks ever observed by the citizens of this place. The daily program is one of more than ordinary interest and those who are fortunate enough to be present at each of the entertainments during the week will be amply paid for the trouble. The baby question has always been a paramount one, and while numerous Murray citizens are "too far gone" to worry further, realizing that the future has shut out for them the prattle and laughter and anxiety of the wee little tot, still it will be worth while to attend these daily meetings. Following is published the program for each day:

Arts and Crafts Club, Saturday.—An exhibit of baby clothing, accessories, foods and babies, at the court house. This will be both interesting and instructive.

Baby Sunday.—The bureau at Washington invites all ministers to preach appropriate sermons.

Music Club, Monday.—Program will consist of lullabies, Mother Goose songs and a paper on "The Influence of Music on a Child's Life." At the school house, 3:30 p. m.

Civic League, Tuesday.—Adonoids, Dr. T. B. House. Teeth, Dr. Hugh McElrath. Eyes, Dr. W. G. Johnson. Contagious Diseases of Children, Dr. W. H. Graves. Prenatal Influence, Dr. B. B. Keys. Care of Mother and Babe, Miss Hendrix. Twilight Sleep, Dr. W. M. Mason. At the court house, 3:00 p. m.

The program for Wednesday will be announced next week.

Mothers' Club, Thursday.—Program will consist of the plays recommended by the Ladies' Home Journal for this week. At the school house, 3:00 p. m.

Brother's and sister's day at the school. School rally. Friday.

All entertainments are free except the one at the school house Friday night, of which the proceeds will go to the school. The program Tuesday afternoon will be of scientific value to women only. All other days everyone is urged to attend. These are for your benefit and instruction.

Washington, Feb. 12.—"The facts about American babies, the needs of American babies and America's responsibility to her babies will this year be known as never before, because the first week in March will be Baby week throughout the country," said Miss Julia Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau of the department of labor.

Four hundred communities,

representing every state, are planning for Baby week, so that for seven days the needs of the babies may be so presented that all parents in those communities will learn a little better how to care for their babies and all the citizens will realize that they have a special obligation to safeguard the conditions surrounding babies.

The Baby week idea, according to the children's bureau, originated in Chicago about two years ago. Then New York had a baby week, and also St. Louis and other cities. Such practical benefit has in each case resulted that the general federation of women's clubs has undertaken to promote this nation-wide observance. State health officials and national organizations interested in public health and child welfare have taken up the plan and in various ways are giving it not only their sanction but their active co-operation. The extension divisions of the state universities have promised special assistance in interesting and helping baby weeks in rural communities.

The children's bureau believes that Baby week will give more parents a chance to learn the accepted principles of infant care, and will awaken every American to his responsibility for the death of the 300,000 babies who, according to the census estimates, die every year before they are twelve months old. Therefore the children's bureau has prepared a special bulletin of practical suggestions for Baby week campaigns, adapted to the varying needs of communities of different types. Copies of this bulletin may be had free from the children's bureau here.

This bureau is conducting a detailed inquiry into the social and economic causes of babies' deaths. Its report shows that the inquiry completed during the past year reveal an average infant death rate of 134 out of every 1,000 babies in a steel-making and coal-mining town as against 84 out of every 1,000 in a residential suburb. An even greater contrast is found between the most congested section and the choicest residential section in each of these two communities.

Commenting upon these findings the report says: "The more favorable the civic and family surroundings and the better the general conditions of life the more clearly are they reflected in a lessened infant mortality."

The report shows, however, that no deductions can be made concerning the relation between the general infant mortality rate and industrial employment of women until the facts about the number and proportion of mothers at work contained in the un-

published census returns are made available by tabulation.

This tabulation is especially important to the studies of the children's bureau. Among the subjects of study which the law directs the bureau to undertake are infant mortality, the birth rate, orphanage and desertion, all requiring information as to family structure. For 1890, 1900 and 1910 this information was secured, but the material has not been tabulated because there has been thus far no public demand for it such as secures, for example, the comprehensive information regarding manufactures furnished by the bureau of the census every five years. But neither the census bureau nor the children's bureau has funds to make the tabulation that would render this body of human facts available for use. Meanwhile the children's bureau is pursuing its inquiry into the relation of babies' deaths to wages and social conditions, believing "that the inquiry will prove increasingly valuable as a stimulus to more protection of the youngest and tenderest lives throughout the nation."

Such practical results have already followed the inquiry in two communities as the securing of infant welfare nurses, improving the milk supply, and rousing community interest in kindred activities.

The bureau also approaches the problem of infant mortality in a constructive fashion through two pamphlets entitled, "Parental Care" and "Infant Care," which are sent on request to mothers.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE GETS MULE AS A PRESENT FOR PROPOSING

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 19.—A leap year wedding took place here yesterday afternoon when Miss Sallie Eldora Brown, 17, and James Herbert Twedell, 18, both of Crofton, were married. Before marrying the parties signed an affidavit stating that Mr. Twedell called upon Miss Brown the night before and she offered herself as a valentine and was promptly accepted.

The parents of the young couple gave their consent and they came here to have the wedding solemnized and also to secure about \$300 worth of goods which had been offered to any leap year couple marrying, the bride to make sworn affidavit that she popped the question. These presents included the license, ceremony, a mule, furniture, a tomb stone, bride's bouquet, meat, flour, groceries, cigars, etc. The mule was offered by Richard Leavell, who insisted that the wedding take place in his stable, and this was done, a crowd of several hundred people looking on, but the couple were not feazed in the least, and even posed for pictures.

Both parties came from prominent families of Crofton, no residents of that section standing higher. The groom is a farmer and the couple left in the afternoon for his home, leading the mule behind the buggy.

The bride was an unusually pretty girl. They will come back later with a wagon for their gifts.

Notice to Creditors.

C. A. Hood having sold his interest in the lumber business to his partners, and in order to settle the indebtedness of the old firm, forces us to ask that each and everyone owing us to come in and settle their accounts and notes with us. Your prompt attention to this will be appreciated, as we must have settlement of all accounts by the first of March. Your friends, Hood, Hughes & Irwin.

KENTUCKIAN 96 FATHER OF BABY

Whitesburg, Ky., Feb. 21.—There is not a more remarkable man in Kentucky today than "Uncle Bob" Bates, 96, who resides in a log cabin on the headwaters of Rockhouse creek, Letcher county, ten miles from this place.

"Uncle Bob" boasts of having lately become the father of a boy baby—the twenty-fourth that has come to bless the family circle—and he is receiving congratulations of a legion of friends over the state. He has been married three times, according to the records. To the first union nine children were born; to the second, eight, and to the third and present wife, seven. His first two wives died.

After the death of his second wife, he decided to remain single, but "single blessedness" was too much for him and he at once set about to marry. His third choice was a pretty young woman of 18, whom he married in his eighty-fourth year.

Early in life "Uncle Bob" developed a spirit of thrift and economy, and though yet a young man had saved up thousands of dollars, something unusual for that day. He kept everything at it, and today he boasts of the fact of having earned and saved for himself a thousand or more dollars each year of his life. He has dealt extensively in stock, cattle, sheep, hogs, has bought produce, tilled the soil and blocked together vast tracts of Eastern Kentucky coal and timber lands. He has been interested in politics, served during the civil war in the Confederate army as a colonel, was a member of the Kentucky house of representatives sixty years ago—again thirty years ago and was sheriff of Letcher county. He is today the owner of a splendid block of twelve or fifteen thousand acres of some of the best coal lands in Letcher and Knox counties. He owns extensive bank stock, town lots, farming lands and an estimate of his holdings puts it at near one million dollars.

So popular was "Uncle Bob" that his friends, sixty years ago, nominated him for the legislature by acclamation. He was elected and afterwards was often prevailed upon to enter politics. "I am shy of politics; have had enough," he would reply. Thirty years later, however, he acceded to the wishes of his friends and became a candidate. In that session he introduced the bill and fought for the creation of a new county out of parts of Letcher and Floyd, and as a result, Knott county was created, being named for Governor J. Proctor Knott, then chief executive. While talking of "Uncle Bob" he is frequently mentioned as the "Father of Knott county" until this day.

Trigg County Deaths.

Mr. James A. Mitchell, one of the leading citizens of Trigg county, died last Sunday night at 9:20 at his home near Trigg furnace, eight miles west of here.

Mrs. N. E. Freeman, widow of Lindsey Freeman, died suddenly last Sunday morning about 1:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bertie Freeman, on the Roaring Spring road, three miles from Cadiz.

Mrs. A. V. Thomas, one of the oldest and most highly respected ladies of the county, died last Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at her home on Donaldson creek of lung trouble. Mrs. Thomas has

been in feeble health for several months, and had been confined to her bed for the past six weeks. Mrs. Thomas was a Miss Dunn before her marriage to Rufus K. Thomas, who died twenty-five years ago. She was married in Marshall county, but came to Trigg soon afterwards where she since lived. —Cadiz Record.

Gilbert Loses Hive of Bees.

Attorney M. E. Gilbert, who lives one mile from Paducah on the Benton road, has just discovered that thieves have committed the limit in offense.

They stole a genuine bee hive from Mr. Gilbert's farm and the worst part about it is that the hive contained his prize queen bee and her royal family of full blooded Italian bees.

The robbery was committed one night last week and was a very thing to do as bees are not very sociable with strangers. But the thieves evidently made away with the stand with great credit to their ability and Attorney Gilbert is conducting a search for his hive and its contents. He valued it at about \$5. He owns about forty hives and has a big supply of honey every year. —Paducah Sun.

About 50,000 Pounds Sold.

The sale at the loose leaf warehouse Tuesday of this week attracted the usual crowd of interested growers and spectators. About 50,000 pounds of the weed were offered and sold, only a very few rejections being reported. Prices ranged from \$4.50 to \$7.65 for leaf, and from \$2.50 to \$3.25 for lugs.

MARSHALL COUPLE BECOME PARENTS IN ADVANCED YEARS

The last week's issue of the Benton-Tribune Democrat contained the following remarkable news item:

"The stork visited the home of Mr. Sylvester H. Edwards at 2 a. m., Feb. 15th, and brought him a new boy, who was immediately christened John Henry Sylvester. Mr. Edwards is an ex-Confederate soldier past 75 years of age. Mrs. Anna Edwards (nee Adkins) is his third wife, while Mr. Edwards is her second husband. She is 54 years of age and this eight pound boy is her first born."

Church of Christ.

We desire to announce to our friends and neighbors of Murray and vicinity that Bro. C. M. Pullias, of Lewisburg, Tenn., will be with us again in a series of gospel meetings, beginning the first Lord's day in March. A more goodly man is not the privilege of the people of Murray to hear. His acquaintance with the book, together with the simplicity with which he handles his subjects, combine in him a man of rare attainments.

We especially want to insist

Embargo on Tobacco Will Lower the Price Throughout The Dark District.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 21.—That tobacco prices in this district will suffer heavily from the shutting off of England as a consuming market was the statement yesterday of a prominent tobaccoist. England each year consumes about a tenth of the West Kentucky crop and the curtailment of this market will seriously effect the already low prices being paid in this district.

With regard to England's reason for placing an embargo on American tobacco the same dealer stated that the move was done in an effort to bring back the balance of credit and capital to England—to cut off the purchase



NOTICE THE DATE ON YOUR LABEL

The Ledger has just completed the revision of its entire mailing list, and the attention of every subscriber is directed to the change. On the label on which your name appears also appears the date of expiration of your subscription. This comes to you each week as a reminder of your expiration date and as a receipt for your money. This revision was a very expensive undertaking but we are confident our patrons will appreciate it very much. The entire list has been checked from memorandum book, day book, stubs of receipt books and the subscription book, and is absolutely correct as the record appears in our office. In the future there can never arise any question about any payments made on subscription, as you will be reminded each week of the payment and the label will show a receipt for the money.

This system is used by every large publication in the world and is as near perfection as can be attained. Look at your label and be reminded that if you are due us we will appreciate an early payment. Next Monday is fourth Monday and if your are behind on your paper come in and have the figures changed to a year in advance. The "Old Reliable" has been mighty faithful to you and don't forget "one good turn deserves another." Watch the date on your label.

upon the members of other churches of Christ near Murray to assist us with their presence and help.

Next Lord's day the subjects for discussion at the morning and evening services respectively are as follows: "Is the Christ of the New Testament the Messiah of the Old Testament?" and "Hereditary Depravity." Let us insist upon your hearing both and especially the latter subject at the evening service. Much has been said upon this subject in religious circles, and we desire that you hear us. —T. B. Thompson, Minister.

Notice.—I have bought the Parks mill and it will be run each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. —C. R. Broach.

Field seeds, hardware and all ranges sold by Bucy Bros.

Hamlett Withdraws His Contest Suit Against Secretary of State Lewis.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 21.—The contest of Barkedale Hamlett with J. P. Lewis for the office of secretary of state came to an end last night when Hamlett withdrew his petition.

Hamlett is ill, having been on the verge of a nervous breakdown for weeks. He was advised that he could not stand the strain much longer, or else he would become a nervous wreck. Hamlett will take a rest and later take up the practice of law. Lewis agreed to pay all the costs in the case.

Hamlett said: "On account

of my unfortunate domestic affairs and lack of finances due to my hard fight in both primary and general election, and shortage of funds since, and not wishing to embarrass my friends to carry on the contest for the office which I believe I fairly and honestly won, and on account of the hostile conditions inside and outside of my party, and loyalty to my family first and party next and for the sake of party harmony, I have decided to withdraw my suit for the contest of this office."

BUSINESS IS BASED ON CONFIDENCE

A Theory Put Into Practice by Well Known Business Men



J. C. BRADY

"A druggist has many opportunities to make lasting friends of his customers," said Mr. J. C. Brady, popular Rexall Pharmacist of Fall River, Mass. "The very nature of his business draws their confidence for little helpful suggestions on the matter of health. Many people have thanked me for recommending Rexall Remedies as the best relief for constipation and its resultant ills. Put-up-in-dainty candy tablet form, they are pleasant to the taste and make an ideal laxative for the home—for men, women and children alike."

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.
DALE & STUBBLEFIELD
THE REXALL STORE

A Remarkable College.

In the March American Magazine is the story of Oneida Institute in the Cumberland mountains in Kentucky that feeds, rooms and teaches some six hundred students at \$4 a month and has no money to pay salaries to its professors who, without pay, are drawing the Kentucky mountaineers from the age of Queen Elizabeth into the twentieth century.

The president of the college, J. A. Burns, has been forced to go on the chautauqua circuit in order to make a little money for running expenses. He himself was a native Kentucky boy who made his own shoes out of self-tanned hides, threshed wheat with an old fashioned flail and picked the seed from cotton by hand. He considered himself lucky to get 17 months of school. In another story that the American Magazine printed about Mr. Burns of the mountains it called attention to the fact that the charter of his college was signed by fifteen men, twelve of whom had to make their mark—twelve big, full grown, fine unhyphenated Americans.

This college with no money has standing room only and turns away hundreds for lack of room. In spite of its poverty and limited facilities it has already eliminated its section of the country the feudism of a hundred and fifty years, and given the mountaineers the wherewithal to meet the changed conditions of advancing civilization.

Buyers read the Ledger ads.

Corns Come Off Like Banana Peel

Wonderful, Simple "Get-It" Never Fails to Remove Any Corn Easily.

"Wouldn't it be great? Here I've been going along for years, with one desperate corn after another, trying to get rid of them with knives, blisters, and all sorts of things."

"Well, I put two pistols in my when I got out to a friendly gathering. Then I start talking of aeroplanes."

"Then I say my life was once saved by parashutes."

"And then I pull out the pistol, and say, 'Pair o' shoots.' Ha, ha! See?"

"Yes, I see. Did you make up that joke yourself?"

"Yes, my lord."

"Two years' hard labor!" London Tit-Bits

Poverty is not a crime, but the penalty is hard labor, just the same.

PROHIBITION AND SUFFRAGE ARE ASKED TO WAIT ONE YEAR

Washington, February 15.—With the support of suffrage sympathizers who thought the time inopportune for a vote in the house on the pending suffrage constitutional amendment, a motion to postpone a report on the measure until the next session of congress was adopted, nine to seven, today by the judiciary committee. At the same time the committee rejected on a tie vote a similar motion to postpone until next session a report on the prohibition amendment.

Suffragists immediately launched a fight for reconsideration of the action. At least three, if not four, members favorable to their cause were absent when the vote was taken, they said.

The suffrage vote came after a heated conflict between various factions that have been supporting the proposals. Representatives of the congressional union, who were eager for a vote on the Susan B. Anthony proposals, urged members until today to vote immediately upon reporting it. Mrs. Antoinette Funk of the National Woman Suffrage Association, however, fearing defeat of the measure, began to pledge its friends to vote for an indefinite postponement.

At the outset of the meeting today Representative Gard, of Ohio, offered a resolution to postpone indefinite consideration of both the suffrage and prohibition proposals. After much wrangling the two propositions finally were divided.

Make Your Own Healing Remedy at Home.

Buy a 50c bottle of Farris Healing Remedy, add to it a pint of linseed oil to make a healing oil, or add vaseline to make an ointment. You will then have sixteen ounces of the healing remedy for harness and saddle galls, barbed wire cuts, scratches, or any hurt or sore where the skin is broken. Positively guaranteed the best made. Make it at home. By so doing you have \$2.00 worth for 50c.—Sexton Bros.

College vs. Business.

"Four years of college does a lot for some men," says a successful business man in March Woman's Home Companion, "others simply waste the years and would be better off under the firmer discipline of business. Those fond parents who are determined to force their sons through, at whatever cost, often do the boys a doubtful service."

"If, after a year of college, a boy still feels a strong antipathy to college work and a desire to enter business immediately, it is often wise to let him drop out and have a year of business experience. At the end of the year let him have the advice of his employers and other successful business men whom he knows. It may be that the year will have convinced him of the value of more education: the men he talks with may be able to show him that three additional college years will more than pay for themselves in the rapidity of his business progress. On the other hand, the end of the year may find him more eager than ever to continue at work. In either case he is in a far better position to know the facts and make his decision. Anyone who reads biography must be impressed with the general futility of attempting to force a young man's course contrary to his strong predilections."

Pass the Nichols Bill.

The grouping of forces for and for the Nichols bill, at Ger. indicates a bitter fight is that measure which ital of Bas from the state city, it is th. and places curacy and effect. sian artillery is m. counts of the fighting. front. The German ad. have been forced back rep.

from the federal government an equal sum for farm demonstration work in Kentucky.

Farmers from several sections of the state have sent delegates to Frankfort to support the bill. Commissioner of Agriculture Cohen and a strong political group are massing against it. It is but natural the interests should be so aligned. The passage of the bill means more actual help for the farmers of Kentucky and the depletion of the funds with which the state board operates. Its death means ample funds for the state board to carry on its endeavors with, but less of actual value for the farmers.

The state board's field of activity is the state fair, and the farmer's institutes. It does little else of consequence. The farmers' institutes are not practical. They are not even well attended. The state fair is not essential to Kentucky agriculture. It is a fine thing for Louisville, whose hotel-keepers and concessionaries grow passing fat on the money it brings in, but the average farmer toiling in his fields seldom has enough cash laid by to go up and mingle with the throngs.

If the Nichols bill passes and the money now frittered out by the state board is put into actual service for the farmer, it is possible that future years will see greater profits from farm work and enable more of us to journey 'round to state fairs and similar functions.

If sufficient pressure is applied to the legislature, the Nichols bill will pass. There are enough farmers in Kentucky to provide that pressure. The farmers of the Purchase are as much concerned as any others.

Get behind your representative and your senator. Tell them you want the Nichols bill passed. They will not let the demand go unheeded.—Paducah Sun.

A MURRAY INTERVIEW.

Mr. Ellison Tells His Experience.

The following brief account of an interview with a Murry man over three years ago, and its sequel, will be read with keen interest by every citizen.

J. A. Ellison, Murry, says: "I suffered for a long time from a lame back and often was hardly able to stoop. The trouble was worse when I got up in the morning. In fact, I was often hardly able to get out of bed. Doan's Kidney Pills, from Dale & Stubblefield's drug store made me feel like a different man and all the symptoms of the trouble left me."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER Mr. Ellison said: "I have had no occasion to use any kidney medicine since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Ellison has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Howes Reappointed.

Frankfort, Feb. 11.—Charles T. Howes, appointed during the term of C. F. Creelius, as assistant secretary of state by reappointment of James P. Lewis, on approval of Gov. Stanley. Since the induction of Mr. Lewis, who recommended William Dingus of Prestonsburg, for the position, Mr. Howes has been acting as assistant and keeping the executive journal, but the secretary of state would not authorize Mr. Howes to sign his name. The secretary of state this morning, however, appointed Mr. Howes assistant until March 15, or until his successor is appointed and approved by the governor.

For Sale.—Single comb brown Leghorn eggs. \$1. per setting of 15. If by mail prepaid \$1.50. Little Scott, Murray, Ky. R. 3. 2 miles south-east of Smiths. 2173

MARINE WINS BIG FORTUNE

Wealthiest Enlisted Man in United Services Retires After Thirty Years in Corps.

Seattle, Wash.—Sergeant Major James Deaver, United States marine corps, wealthiest enlisted man in the United States, was retired here recently after thirty years continuous service with Uncle Sam's sea soldiers, possessing real estate, stocks, bonds, mortgages, and personal property valued at more than one hundred thousand dollars.

Deaver had no capital when he entered the marine corps in 1885 and has been dependent entirely on his pay as an enlisted man and his own efforts in the accumulation of wealth. He will continue to draw from the government about \$70 a month retired pay for so long as he may live.

By strict economy Deaver managed to save several thousand dollars in



Sergeant Major Deaver.

the first fourteen years with the marines, and when he was transferred to Seattle in 1899, predicted that this city would one day be the metropolis of the great Northwest. He wisely invested his savings in Seattle realty when values were low. He sold his holdings several times and reinvested, opportunely until his wealth passed the six figure mark.

The wealthiest enlisted man resides with his wife and young son in their beautiful home at 4226 South Alki street, overlooking the waters of Puget Sound.

TRENCH COOKING BY GIRLS

Woman's College in London Gives a Special Course for Women War Workers.

London.—Cookery lessons in a trench dug in the grounds of the new King's College for Women (University of London, at Campden Hill) is among the features of a special course on camp cookery inaugurated at the college recently and open to nonstudents.

This course and one which opened recently on "Economic Housekeeping in Wartime" will, it is thought, be specially useful to women war workers. In view of the fact that the employment of women as cooks, porters, orderlies, etc., is now permitted in the military hospitals.

The practical work in the camp cookery course will be undertaken out of doors whenever possible and will include the building and making of outside fires, ovens, etc., improving of camp cookery implements, the jointing of meat, etc. Attention will therefore be directed to cooking in large quantities, stewing, soup making, bread making and the making of boiled puddings.

TOOK TRAIN IN HER SLEEP

Wisconsin Girl Dreamed Sisters Were Burning to Death in Another Town.

Marquette, Wis.—A dream that her three small sisters were burning to death in an orphanage at Green Bay is believed by physicians to have caused the wanderings of Maria Behan, eighteen-year-old miss, who returned here while police in northern Wisconsin and Michigan were searching for her.

"I could not rest Tuesday night," said the girl. "I saw my sisters dying in the flames. They called to me and I dreamed that I was about to save them. The next thing I knew was when I heard someone call 'Green Bay.' Then I awoke and found myself on a train entering Green Bay."

MOST VENERABLE FIR TREE

Found in Olympic National Forest in Washington by Ranger—Has 1,350 Rings.

Seattle, Wash.—What is believed to be the oldest fir tree in the Olympic national forest by a ranger, according to a report from the forest bureau. The tree has 1,350 rings of growth, one ring for each year, which would make the big stick well over a thousand years old.

The oldest recorded fir up to this record breaker had 710 annual rings. Washington and Oregon is on the increase, according to the reports issued by the bureau, which attributes the increase to the fact that the tree is growing in a favorable spot.

Free Vacation Tours.

It has been the custom of the Southern Woman's Magazine for some time to conduct annually a series of vacation tours for their representatives. This is a somewhat novel plan as it does not have any contest feature, but is a definite offer.

This year there will be conducted two tours, a western and an eastern. The eastern tour embraces Philadelphia, Washington, Atlantic City, Niagara, Toronto, Canada; great lakes, the thousand islands, Montreal, Albany, daylight trip down the Hudson river to New York City, spending three days there, our party will go to sea over the Old Dominion line to Norfolk, up the James river to Richmond, returning by way of Chattanooga.

The western trip will embrace Salt Lake City, four days tour of the magnificent Yellowstone Park, Royal Gorge, Denver, Colorado Springs, Cripple Creek, returning via Chicago.

These tours are given and all expenses paid by the magazine company. Full particulars of either tour will be sent upon request by the Southern Woman's Magazine, Nashville, Tenn.

The Fireless Cooker for Everyday Use.

The bete noir of every woman who does not keep a maid is the cooking of a large family dinner on Sunday. If she is to prepare a meal in the regulation way she cannot go to church, but the woman with a fireless cooker in her kitchen can go to church and still have big family about the dinner-table. The wise little woman puts her meat in one compartment, her two or three vegetables in another, and her custard or best pudding in a third. Her salad is prepared early in the morning and put on ice, and she goes serenely off to church.

In the preparation of cereals the fireless has been a revelation. The reason why few wives and mothers serve the old-fashioned hominy as a breakfast cereal is that it takes too long to cook, yet most men and the average child revel in it as a change from oatmeal every day. Coarse hominy cooked by this method and served with butter and dark-brown sugar is a treat to most children. Try cooking cereals in your fireless and you will never cook them any other way.—Quoted from Pietorial Review for March, 1916.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the family system tonic. Price \$1.00.

Hens! Hens!!

Watch this paper for our high prices on hens about the 25th. Don't get excited and turn them loose, as we will be in the market good and strong.—W. L. Baucum & Son, Cherry, Ky.

Field seeds, hardware—and ranges sold by Bucy Bros.

Farm Loans.

Five year's time with repayment privilege. No loan for more than half the value of land. No loan for less than \$750.—H. E. and M. D. Holton, Agents.

For Sale.—2 good Jersey milk cows—Sammie Downs, 2 miles east of Murray. 2103

For croup or sore throat, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Two sizes, 2c and 50c, at all drug stores.

We Don't Want All The Seed Business In This County

Government Experts say that only about 10% of the farmers pay particular attention to the QUALITY of their field seeds. That's the 10% that we want, and we have the seed that THEY want—

GOLD MEDAL SEEDS

The Sure-Growing Kind

FOR FIRST PRIZE FARMERS

Sexton Brothers, Murray, Kentucky

Newest fastest train to Texas

"Lone Star"

A new, all steel, electric lighted train from Memphis to Texas via

Cotton Belt Route

Leaves Memphis 9:30 p. m. Arrives Dallas 11:15 a. m. Arrives Ft. Worth 12:50 noon

The only solid trains between Memphis and Texas. Cotton Belt Route all the way—no change of cars, no missing connections. Morning train leaves Memphis at 9:40 a. m. Trains from the South-east connect at Memphis.

Low Fares

Winter Tourist Fares daily to many points in Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico; stopovers and limit of May 31, 1916. All Year Tourist Fares daily to certain Texas points; 20-day limit stopovers. Send for illustrated booklet, and get information about low fares from your town.

L. C. Barry, Trav. Pass. Agent, 55 Third Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

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"BABY WEEK" WILL BE FITTINGLY OBSERVED BY MURRAY WOMEN.

In keeping with the nationwide program for the observance of "baby week," March 4-11, the various women's clubs of the city will make a special endeavor to carry out one of the most interesting weeks ever observed by the citizens of this place. The daily program is one of more than ordinary interest and those who are fortunate enough to be present at each of the entertainments during the week will be amply paid for the trouble. The baby question has always been a paramount one, and while numerous Murray citizens are "too far gone" to worry further, realizing that the future has shut out for them the prattle and laughter and anxiety of the wee little tot, still it will be worth while to attend these daily meetings. Following is published the program for each day:

Arts and Crafts Club, Saturday.—An exhibit of baby clothing, accessories, foods and babies, at the court house. This will be both interesting and instructive.

Baby Sunday.—The bureau at Washington invites all ministers to preach appropriate sermons.

Music Club, Monday.—Program will consist of lullabies, Mother Goose songs and a paper on "The Influence of Music on a Child's Life." At the school house, 3:30 p. m.

Civic League, Tuesday.—Agenda, Dr. T. B. House. Teeth, Dr. Hugh McElrath. Eyes, Dr. W. G. Johnson. Contagious Diseases of Children, Dr. W. H. Graves. Prenatal Influence, Dr. B. B. Keys. Care of Mother and Babe, Miss Hendrix. Twilight Sleep, Dr. W. M. Mason. At the court house, 3:00 p. m.

The program for Wednesday will be announced next week.

Mothers' Club, Thursday.—Program will consist of the plays recommended by the Ladies' Home Journal for this week. At the school house, 3:00 p. m.

Brother's and sister's day at the school. School rally. Friday.

All entertainments are free except the one at the school house Friday night, of which the proceeds will go to the school. The program Tuesday afternoon will be of scientific value to women only. All other days everyone is urged to attend. These are for your benefit and instruction.

Washington, Feb. 12.—"The facts about American babies, the needs of American babies and America's responsibility to her babies will this year be known as never before, because the first week in March will be Baby week throughout the country," said Miss Julia Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau of the department of labor.

Four hundred communities,

representing every state, are planning for Baby week, so that for seven days the needs of the babies may be so presented that all parents in those communities will learn a little better how to care for their babies and all the citizens will realize that they have a special obligation to safeguard the conditions surrounding babies.

The Baby week idea, according to the children's bureau, originated in Chicago about two years ago. Then New York had a baby week, and also St. Louis and other cities. Such practical benefit has in each case resulted that the general federation of women's clubs has undertaken to promote this nation-wide observance. State health officials and national organizations interested in public health and child welfare have taken up the plan and in various ways are giving it not only their sanction but their active co-operation. The extension divisions of the state universities have promised special assistance in interesting and helping baby weeks in rural communities.

The children's bureau believes that Baby week will give more parents a chance to learn the accepted principles of infant care, and will awaken every American to his responsibility for the death of the 300,000 babies who, according to the census estimates, die every year before they are twelve months old. Therefore the children's bureau has prepared a special bulletin of practical suggestions for Baby week campaigns, adapted to the varying needs of communities of different types. Copies of this bulletin may be had free from the children's bureau here. This bureau is conducting a detailed inquiry into the social and economic causes of babies' deaths. Its report shows that the inquiry completed during the past year reveal an average infant death rate of 134 out of every 1,000 babies in a steel-making and coal-mining town as against 84 out of every 1,000 in a residential suburb. An even greater contrast is found between the most congested section and the choicest residential section in each of these two communities.

Commenting upon these findings the report says: "The more favorable the civic and family surroundings and the better the general conditions of life the more clearly are they reflected in a lessened infant mortality."

The report shows, however, that no deductions can be made concerning the relation between the general infant mortality rate and industrial employment of women until the facts about the number and proportion of mothers at work contained in the un-

published census returns are made available by tabulation.

This tabulation is especially important to the studies of the children's bureau. Among the subjects of study which the law directs the bureau to undertake are infant mortality, the birth rate, orphanage and desertion, all requiring information as to family structure. For 1890, 1900 and 1910 this information was secured, but the material has not been tabulated because there has been thus far no public demand for it such as secures, for example, the comprehensive information regarding manufactures furnished by the bureau of the census every five years. But neither the census bureau nor the children's bureau has funds to make the tabulation that would render this body of human facts available for use. Meanwhile the children's bureau is pursuing its inquiry into the relation of babies' deaths to wages and social conditions, believing "that the inquiry will prove increasingly valuable as a stimulus to more protection of the youngest and tenderest lives throughout the nation."

Such practical results have already followed the inquiry in two communities as the securing of infant welfare nurses, improving the milk supply, and rousing community interest in kindred activities.

The bureau also approaches the problem of infant mortality in a constructive fashion through two pamphlets entitled, "Parental Care" and "Infant Care," which are sent on request to mothers.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE GETS MULE AS A PRESENT FOR PROPOSING

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 19.—A leap year wedding took place here yesterday afternoon when Miss Sallie Eldora Brown, 17, and James Herbert Twedell, 18, both of Crofton, were married. Before marrying the parties signed an affidavit stating that Mr. Twedell called upon Miss Brown the night before and she offered herself as a valentine and was promptly accepted.

The parents of the young couple gave their consent and they came here to have the wedding solemnized and also to secure about \$300 worth of goods which had been offered to any leap year couple marrying, the bride to make sworn affidavit that she popped the question. These presents included the license, ceremony, a mule, furniture, a tomb stone, bride's bouquet, meat, flour, groceries, cigars, etc. The mule was offered by Richard Leavell, who insisted that the wedding take place in his stable, and this was done, a crowd of several hundred people looking on, but the couple were not feazed in the least, and even posed for pictures.

Both parties came from prominent families of Crofton, no residents of that section standing higher. The groom is a farmer and the couple left in the afternoon for his home, leading the mule behind the buggy.

The bride was an unusually pretty girl. They will come back later with a wagon for their gifts.

Notice to Creditors.

C. A. Hood having sold his interest in the lumber business to his partners, and in order to settle the indebtedness of the old firm, forces us to ask that each and everyone owing us to come in and settle their accounts and notes with us. Your prompt attention to this will be appreciated, as we must have settlement at once. Your friends, Hood, Hughes & Irvin.

KENTUCKIAN 96 FATHER OF BABY

Whitesburg, Ky., Feb. 21.—There is not a more remarkable man in Kentucky today than "Uncle Bob" Bates, 96, who resides in a log cabin on the headwaters of Rockhouse creek, Letcher county, ten miles from this place.

"Uncle Bob" boasts of having lately become the father of a boy baby—the twenty-fourth that has come to bless the family circle—and he is receiving congratulations of a legion of friends over the state. He has been married three times, according to the records. To the first union nine children were born; to the second, eight; and to the third and present wife, seven. His first two wives died.

After the death of his second wife, he decided to remain single, but "single blessedness" was too much for him and he at once set about to marry. His third choice was a pretty young woman of 18, whom he married in his eighty-fourth year.

Early in life "Uncle Bob" developed a spirit of thrift and economy, and though yet a young man had saved up thousands of dollars, something unusual for that day. He kept everything at it, and today he boasts of the fact of having earned and saved for himself a thousand or more dollars each year of his life. He has dealt extensively in stock, cattle, sheep, hogs, has bought produce, tilled the soil and blocked together vast tracts of Eastern Kentucky coal and timber lands. He has been interested in politics, served during the civil war in the Confederate army as a colonel, was a member of the Kentucky house of representatives sixty years ago—again thirty years ago and was sheriff of Letcher county. He is today the owner of a splendid block of twelve or fifteen thousand acres of some of the best coal lands in Letcher and Knox counties. He owns extensive bank stock, town lots, farming lands and an estimate of his holdings puts it at near one million dollars.

So popular was "Uncle Bob" that his friends, sixty years ago, nominated him for the legislature by acclamation. He was elected and afterwards was often prevailed upon to enter politics. "I am shy of politics; have had enough," he would reply. Thirty years later, however, he acceded to the wishes of his friends and became a candidate. In that session he introduced the bill and fought for the creation of a new county out of parts of Letcher and Floyd, and as a result, Knott county was created, being named for Governor J. Proctor Knott, then chief executive. While talking of "Uncle Bob" he is frequently mentioned as the "Father of Knott county" until this day.

Trigg County Deaths.

Mr. James A. Mitchell, one of the leading citizens of Trigg county, died last Sunday night at 9:20 at his home near Trigg furnace, eight miles west of here.

Mrs. N. E. Freeman, widow of Lindsey Freeman, died suddenly last Sunday morning about 1:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bertie Freeman, on the Roaring Spring road, three miles from Cadiz.

Mrs. Avey Thomas, one of the oldest and most highly respected ladies of the county, died last Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at her home on Donelson creek of lung trouble. Mrs. Thomas had been in feeble health for several months, and had been confined to her bed for the past six weeks. Mrs. Thomas was a Miss Dunn before her marriage to Rufus K. Thomas, who died twenty-five years ago. She was married in Marshall county, but came to Trigg soon afterwards where she since lived.—Cadiz Record.

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Gilbert Loses Hive of Bees.

Attorney M. E. Gilbert, who lives one mile from Paducah on the Benton road, has just discovered that thieves have committed the limit in offense.

They stole a genuine bee hive from Mr. Gilbert's farm and the worst part about it is that the hive contained his prize queen bee and her royal family of full blooded Italian bees.

The robbery was committed one night last week and was a very thing to do as bees are not very sociable with strangers. But the thieves evidently made away with the stand with great credit to their ability and Attorney Gilbert is conducting a search for his hive and its contents. He valued it at about \$5. He owns about forty hives and has a big supply of honey every year.—Paducah Sun.

About 50,000 Pounds Sold.

The sale at the loose leaf warehouse Tuesday of this week attracted the usual crowd of interested growers and spectators. About 50,000 pounds of the weed were offered and sold, only a very few rejections being reported. Prices ranged from \$4.50 to \$7.65 for leaf, and from \$2.50 to \$3.25 for lugs.

MARSHALL COUPLE BECOME PARENTS IN ADVANCED YEARS

The last week's issue of the Benton-Tribune Democrat contained the following remarkable news item:

"The stork visited the home of Mr. Sylvester H. Edwards at 2 a. m., Feb. 15th, and brought him a new boy, who was immediately christened John Henry Silvester. Mr. Edwards is an ex-Confederate soldier past 75 years of age. Mrs. Anna Edwards (nee Adkins) is his third wife, while Mr. Edwards is her second husband. She is 54 years of age and this eight pound boy is her first born."

Church of Christ.

We desire to announce to our friends and neighbors of Murray and vicinity that Bro. C. M. Pullias, of Lewisburg, Tenn., will be with us again in a series of gospel meetings, beginning the first Lord's day in March. A more goodly man is not the privilege of the people of Murray to hear. His acquaintance with the book, together with the simplicity with which he handles his subjects, combine in him a man of rare attainments.

We especially want to insist

Embargo on Tobacco Will Lower the Price Throughout The Dark District.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 21.—That tobacco prices in this district will suffer heavily from the shutting off of England as a consuming market was the statement yesterday of a prominent tobacco dealer. England each year consumes about a tenth of the West Kentucky crop and the curtailment of this market will seriously effect the already low prices being paid in this district.

With regard to England's reason for placing an embargo on American tobacco the same dealer stated that the move was done in an effort to bring back the balance of credit and capital to England, to cut off the purchase



NOTICE THE DATE ON YOUR LABEL.

The Ledger has just completed the revision of its entire mailing list, and the attention of every subscriber is directed to the change. On the label on which your name appears also appears the date of expiration of your subscription. This comes to you each week as a reminder of your expiration date and as a receipt for your money. This revision was a very expensive undertaking but we are confident our patrons will appreciate it very much. The entire list has been checked from memorandum book, day book, stubs of receipt books and the subscription book, and is absolutely correct as the record appears in our office. In the future there can never arise any question about any payments made on subscription, as you will be reminded each week of the payment and the label will show a receipt for the money.

This system is used by every large publication in the world and is as near perfection as can be attained. Look at your label and be reminded that if you are due us we will appreciate an early payment. Next Monday is fourth Monday and if your are behind on your paper come in and have the figures changed to a year in advance. The "Old Reliable" has been mighty faithful to you and don't forget "one good turn deserves another." Watch the date on your label.

upon the members of other churches of Christ near Murray to assist us with their presence and help.

Next Lord's day the subjects for discussion at the morning and evening services respectively are as follows: "Is the Christ of the New Testament the Messiah of the Old Testament?" and "Hereditary Depravity." Let us insist upon your hearing both and especially the latter subject at the evening service. Much has been said upon this subject in religious circles, and we desire that you hear us.—T. B. Thompson, Minister.

Notice.—I have bought the Parks mill and it will be run each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.—C. R. Broach.

Field seeds, hardware and ranges sold by Bucy Bros.

Hamlett Withdraws His Contest Suit Against Secretary of State Lewis.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 21.—The contest of Barksdale Hamlett with J. P. Lewis for the office of secretary of state came to an end last night when Hamlett withdrew his petition.

Hamlett is ill, having been on the verge of a nervous breakdown for weeks. He was advised that he could not stand the strain much longer, or else he would become a nervous wreck. Hamlett will take a rest and later take up the practice of law. Lewis agreed to pay all the costs in the case.

Hamlett said: "On account

of my unfortunate domestic affairs and lack of finances due to my hard fight in both primary and general election, and shortage of funds since, and not wishing to embarrass my friends to carry on the contest for the office which I believe I fairly and honestly won, and on account of the hostile conditions inside and outside of my party, and loyalty to my family first and party next and for the sake of party harmony, I have decided to withdraw my suit for the contest of this office."

COULD NOT LIE ON SIDE

And Had to Sleep With Head
High on Pillow, on Account of
Suffering. Says Cardui
Made Her Well.

Laurel, Miss.—Mrs. Martha A. Corbin, R. F. D. 4, of this place, writes: "I am glad to write this letter and you are welcome to use it... in any way you choose."

"I have had a soreness in my side so that I could not lie on it to sleep. The back of my head hurt me a great deal too, so that I had to lie with my head high on the pillow. Once a month I would have a great deal of backache. Then I would suffer from dizziness, which would be so bad I could hardly sit up and would have a very queer feeling in my head. The neighbors all advised me to have a doctor, but I had heard a great deal of Cardui and decided to take that. I swelled a great deal too... When that first began on me I would want to stretch and when I would stretch, the pain would run to my hips and shoulders."

"But I began to take Cardui, and before I had taken a half bottle I began to feel better and the swelling began to go down. The pain began to diminish and by the time I had taken two bottles I felt well enough to quit taking it. I think it is the grandest medicine that women can use."

Take Cardui. For sale by all drug stores.

New Arsenal for Greek Navy.
Much of the preliminary work has been done on the proposed new arsenal for the Greek navy, which is to replace the present arsenal at Salamis. The cost of the new establishment is estimated at \$14,000,000. The work is being carried out under the direction of British engineers.

TAKE A GLASS OF SALTS WHEN BLADDER BOTHERS

Harmless to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids—Splendid for the System.

Kidney and bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

Exchanging Views.
First Boy—My paw says he's sick over paying his income tax.

Second Boy (proudly)—Well, he ought to be like my paw. He says he doesn't have to pay any.—Judge.

GAS, DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" settles sour, gassy stomachs in five minutes—Time it!

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it. Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble have made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any dealer and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and causes gas and indigestion; if there is a sour, gassy, eructant, of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.—Adv.

Concrete post-bases to give longer life to worn-out fence posts have been patented by a New York inventor.

RUSSIANS PRESS ON BOTH TURK FLANKS

DRIVEN FROM ONE POSITION SUL-TAN'S SOLDIERS MAY BE SURROUNDED.

RUSSIAN FLEET HELPING

Czar's Forces Play Trick at Erzerum and Capture Entire Division. Close To the Bagdad Railway.

Petrograd.—The Russians are pressing on both flanks the advantage gained at Erzerum. On the right, along the Black Sea coast, by the co-operation of the sea and land forces, they are driving the Turks from one position after another to the east of Trebizond, and active operations against that important seaport are expected soon.

On the left flank, after the occupation of Koph, the Russians pushed on to Mush and Achlat, the latter on the north shore of Lake Van. From Koph to Mush, 69 miles over mountain roads, they fought several battles and occupied Mush by storm.

The Turks fled southward to Diarbekr, the next objective point of the Russian army. Once in possession of Diarbekr it is only a day's march to the Bagdad Railway, the last remaining communication into Syria.

The rapid Russian offensive beyond Erzerum, it is believed, makes it probable that the retreat of the Turkish corps operating along the Black Sea coast, and of those troops which were active in the Mush district before the Russian occupation, will be entirely cut off and that the main Turkish armies will be surrounded.

This fate already has overtaken the Thirty-fourth division of the Tenth Corps, which was ordered from Oltu to Erzerum before the fall of the fortress.

As telephonic communication between this group of the Turkish forces and the garrison at Erzerum had been entirely destroyed by the Russians, the Thirty-fourth division marched serenely on to Erzerum without suspicion that the fortress was then about to surrender.

These troops reached Erzerum from the northwest at the very moment that the Devedol line of forts fell into Russian hands and the army which they had passed was instantly occupied by Russian cavalry and, as they were completely surrounded, there was no alternative but to surrender with guns, equipment and artillery.

GERMAN SPY IS CAPTURED

Ignatius Lincoln, Former Member of Parliament, Is Again Taken By the New York Police.

New York.—Ignatius T. F. Lincoln, former member of the British parliament and self-confessed German spy, who escaped on Jan. 15 from the custody of a United States deputy marshal after his arrest here on Aug. 4, 1915, at the instigation of the British government, has been rearrested here again in front of a Broadway restaurant. He was taken to the offices of the department of justice, where he was questioned behind closed doors for more than two hours. Later he was removed to the Raymond street jail in Brooklyn, where he had formerly been a prisoner.

Lincoln declared his capture was due to the fact that the people of a lodging house where he had engaged quarters learned his identity and attempted to extort \$250 from him in return for the surrender of his baggage. He declined to make a statement to newspaper men, but asserted to the officers who questioned him that he would have run away if the United States government, which was aware of attempts of the British government to persecute him, had treated him fairly.

BUILDING COLLAPSES; 9 DEAD.

Mexia, Tex.—Nine persons killed, several seriously injured and property loss estimated at \$75,000 resulted from the collapse of the old opera house and a resulting gas explosion here. Police stated that every person in the building at the time of the collapse had been accounted for.

There were about 30 persons in the opera building, which was an old structure, when the roof suddenly caved in. An explosion, presumably caused by natural gas, immediately followed, setting fire to the ruins.

Say British Lost.

Berlin.—The British have made a new attempt to retake the position south of Ypres, Belgium, recently captured by the Germans, but were beaten off with heavy losses, it was officially announced here.

Women's Suffrage Loses.

Richmond, Va.—A joint resolution proposing a referendum on woman suffrage has been rejected by the Virginia house of delegates, 52 to 49.

GERMANY MUST WARN SHIPS

U. S. Will Hold That Merchantmen Can Carry Defense Guns—Lusitania Case Is Held Up.

Washington.—The United States in its submarine controversy with Germany will accept nothing short of a full and complete agreement covering all the points for which it has contended as to assurances that the warfare in the future will be conducted in accordance with the established principles of international law.

In announcing that fact Secretary Lansing let it be known that the State department considers Germany's declaration of its intention to sink without warning, after Feb. 29, all armed-merchant ships of the entente allies to be inconsistent with the assurances given, although the communication in so far as it relates to the Lusitania itself is acceptable.

State department officials also consider that the Austro-Hungarian memorandum regarding armed ships is not in accord with the assurances given by that government in the negotiations over the sinking of the Ancona. Consequently final settlement of the Ancona case probably will be withheld until Austria gives similar assurances to those now requested from Germany.

The views of the United States were explained by Secretary Lansing to Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador. The ambassador was informed that the United States desires the German declaration regarding armed merchant ships to be modified.

It was stated emphatically in Teutonic diplomatic circles that the Berlin foreign office would not modify the declaration of intention to sink armed ships, or inform the United States the previous assurances still were binding unless Great Britain should give assurances of some kind that a submarine which warns a British steamship, armed for defensive purposes, would not be fired upon.

RUSSIANS TAKE ERZERUM

Strong Turk Fortress in Asia Minor Is Given Up After Hard Fight. Imperile Turks.

London.—Led by Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian army of the Caucasus has captured the great Turkish fortress of Erzerum, in Eastern Asia Minor.

The following official statement has been given out in Petrograd:

"Grand Duke Nicholas has telegraphed to the emperor as follows: 'God has granted to the brave troops of the army of the Caucasus such great help that Erzerum has been taken after five days of unprecedented assaults.'"

"I am inexhaustibly happy to announce this victory to your imperial majesty."

Thousands of Turks were taken prisoner when the fortress fell, and great stores of munitions and supplies fell into the hands of the victorious troops, it is believed. The blow is the most serious yet struck at Turkey. Early relief of the British forces operating in Mesopotamia, including the beleaguered garrison at Kut-et-Amara, is predicted.

The fall of Erzerum is expected to open the way for a huge advance by the Russians through Eastern Armenia in the spring. Constantinople itself might be imperiled. By this contemplated drive the Russians, it is said, hope to bring Turkey to her knees.

The Russian campaign was unparalleled in military history. The advance was pressed across a bleak and rugged country, over mountains and through narrow defiles in Arctic cold. Russian official reports state that at places the soldiers fought their advance through snow 15 feet deep.

Erzerum, a city of 40,000, is about 60 miles west of the Russian frontier. It is surrounded by a stone wall built by the Turks three centuries ago. On the eastern side a high mountain ridge outside the wall protects the city from attack from the Russian Caucasus.

BERLIN STANDS PAT.

Will Not Postpone Date of Executing New Submarine Policy.

Berlin.—The newspapers here publish a New York dispatch which says that the torpedoing of armed merchantmen under Germany's recent memorandum, which was to become effective Feb. 29, has been postponed until April.

The foreign office says that no such order has been given and that it is unable to explain the dispatch, except on the conjecture that the American government is asking delay. No request for delay has yet been received here.

Sweden Will Act.

Washington.—Sweden has informally advised the state department that in consequence of the announced intention of Germany and Austria to sink armed merchantmen, without warning after Feb. 29, it will notify the nationals not to travel on such ships.

Fire Starts in Movie.

Tulsa, Okla.—Fire which started in a moving picture booth in the Bijou theater destroyed 16 buildings at Oklahoma, in the Cushing field. The total loss was estimated at \$75,000.

Roumania Is Excited.

London.—Dispatches from Bucharest state that the capture of Erzerum by the Russians is crystallizing the decision of Roumania to intervene at an early date, says a Rome dispatch.

SENATE RATIFIES NICARAGUA TREATY

UNITED STATES WILL SECURE A 99-YEAR OPTION ON OTHER CANAL ROUTE.

NAVAL BASE IS INCLUDED

Report That Germany Was Negotiating For Canal Route Brings Votes For Ratification—Will Cost U. S. \$3,000,000.

Washington.—The senate, by a vote of 55 to 18, has ratified the long-pending and persistently opposed Nicaraguan treaty whereby the United States would acquire a 99-year option on the Nicaraguan canal route and a naval base in the gulf of Fonseca for \$3,000,000.

Included in the ratification resolution was a provision declaring that the United States in obtaining the naval base does not intend to violate any existing rights in the Fonseca gulf of Costa Rica, Honduras and Salvador, which had protested against the proposed acquisition.

Five Democratic senators voted against the treaty. They were Chamberlain, Martine, Clarke of Arkansas, Thomas and Vandamm. Republicans who voted against ratification were Kernon, La Follette, McCumber, Nelson, Norris, Smith of Michigan, Smoot and Warren. Fifteen Republican senators joined the administration forces in support of the treaty. They were Brandegee, Colt, Dillingham, Dupont, Fall, Gallinger, Harding, Lippitt, Lodge, McLean, Page, Pendergast, Sutherland, Wadsworth and Weeks.

Immediately after the senate had acted Senator Chamorro, the Nicaraguan minister, said he would at once communicate with his government, and that he expected ratification of the convention by his government would soon follow and exchanges made to put the treaty in force.

During the long debate declarations were made in the senate that Germany had offered Nicaragua more than had the United States for the canal route option and is said to have been used as an argument for ratification.

159 WERE KILLED IN MEXICO

Senate Gets Report of Conditions in Southern Republic Before Confirming Nominations.

Washington.—President Wilson has sent to the Senate his response to the Fall resolution adopted last month requesting him to report on facts leading up to recognition by the United States of the de facto government of Mexico headed by Gen. Venustiano Carranza. It was in the form of a long letter from Secretary Lansing summarizing the events which preceded recognition and transmitting a great volume of data, including a list of all Americans killed in Mexico and along the border during the past six years.

The president, through Mr. Lansing, declined to comply with that part of the resolution asking for diplomatic and consular reports on political conditions and events in Mexico. The Senate was informed that it was not compatible with public interests to furnish this correspondence inasmuch as it was of a highly confidential nature and "submitted by consular officers of the United States, by diplomatic or consular officers of other governments which have graciously consented that their officers might supply this government with information during the necessary absence of American representatives."

As to the stability of Carranza to fulfill his promises to protect foreign lives and property, Mr. Lansing said that under all the circumstances the de facto government, which at the time of recognition controlled more than 75 per cent of Mexico's territory, was affording "reasonably adequate protection to the lives and property of American citizens."

The data disclosed that 7 Americans were killed in Mexico in the years 1913, 1914 and 1915, as compared with 47 in the three years preceding, and that 2 civilian Americans and 160 soldiers were killed on American soil in the last three years as a result of Mexican troubles.

When the report was received Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, moved that it lie on the table and be printed as a public document. He made no comment on its contents.

Senator Fall introduced his resolution when the nomination was sent in.

Stops Sugar Exports.

Buenos Aires.—The government has decided to prohibit the exportation of sugar.

Belgian Aid Falls.

London.—The plan of aiding Belgium to feed herself by rehabilitating the industries of the country under control of the American commission for relief in Belgium has failed, according to a letter written by Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, to the Belgian minister here because the Germans thus far have failed to reply to the request for guarantees that materials and manufactured goods will not be seized by the occupying armies.

SAY AVIATION CORPS BAD

Senate Committee Hears That Flying Officers Kept Defects Secret—Investigation Demanded.

Washington.—Sensational charges against the army aviation service, with a demand for immediate investigation by congress, have been made before the senate military committee by Senator Robinson of Arkansas. He declared that the service was contemptibly inefficient and that its head, Lieut. Col. Samuel Reber, not only was making no effort to improve it, but deliberately was preventing the facts from reaching his superiors.

The senator appeared before the committee with a mass of data, including photographic copies of letters which he said had been exchanged between Col. Reber and Capt. Arthur S. Cowan, commanding the aviation station at San Diego. At least part of this evidence was produced before the court-martial at San Francisco, which recently tried Lieut. Col. Lewis E. Goodlier, judge advocate general of the western department, accused of improperly altering certain charges filed by other officers against Capt. Cowan.

The findings of this court now are in the hands of a special commission of army officers appointed by the acting secretary of war to make a report to President Wilson. The commission is understood to be considering what action should be taken as to the result of revelations during the trial concerning Col. Reber, Capt. Cowan and the service generally, as well as the court's decision as to Col. Goodlier.

Sensor Robinson read liberal extracts from his photographs of letters and quoted Capt. Cowan as writing to Col. Reber that if the service ever came under investigation by any one outside the signal corps it would be impossible to explain the "rotten way" in which the work has been handled. Other letters were produced to show that favoritism was practiced in the promotion of men in the service.

TAX ON WAR PROFITS.

Germany Will Attempt To Raise Revenue Off Manufacturers.

Berlin.—The most important parts of the government's tax measures have been submitted to the bundestag, but strict secrecy is preserved regarding their nature. It appears, however, that the bills have been designed to furnish 500,000,000 marks of new revenue. The new measures probably will be published before the reichstag assemblies on March 15.

The chief feature of the fiscal legislation probably will be a tax on extra wartime profits, as has already been decided in principle, by requiring corporations and firms to increase earnings for future taxation. That a rich yield from this tax may be counted upon is shown by the annual report of a number of companies which laid aside 3,000,000 marks to 5,000,000 marks for reserves, under the law. There has been much agitation among commercial classes against the government taking the entire 50 per cent, but it is even feared that a higher rate than 50 per cent may be adopted.

HANS SCHMIDT PAYS PENALTY.

Former Priest Electrocuted For the Murder of Anna Aumuller.

Ossining, N. Y.—Hans Schmidt, former priest, was electrocuted at Sing Sing prison Feb. 18, for the murder of Anna Aumuller, Sept. 2, 1913. He went quietly to the death chamber, accompanied by the principal keeper and Father Caglin, prison chaplain. Leaving the death house he said goodbye to those who remained.

When he entered the chamber the guards attempted to direct him toward the chair, but Schmidt gently shook them off and insisted upon addressing the 17 witnesses. With Father Caglin standing at one side and the keeper at the other, Schmidt seated himself in the electric chair, and the current was applied three times. Within a minute he was dead.

Cabinet Discusses Flood.

Washington.—The Mississippi flood situation has been made the subject of discussion at a cabinet meeting. Secretary Redfield laid before President Wilson a telegram from Walter Parker, general manager of the New Orleans Association of Commerce, urging immediate action. Secretary Redfield took the position that the government should await a report of the special flood control committee which recently made a tour of investigation.

Munitions Plant Destroyed.

Monckton, N. B.—The plant of the Record Foundry, where war munitions were manufactured, has been destroyed by fire.

Fell Carrying Nitroglycerin.

Charleston, W. Va.—W. S. Roberts of Marietta, O., slipped and fell while carrying two cans of nitroglycerin at St. Albans, 12 miles from here. He has not been found.

Zeppelin Wrecked.

London.—A Rotterdam dispatch says that during a storm a Zeppelin was blown adrift, apparently from Belgium, and wrecked at Ilkerk, near Venlo, where it was seized and interned by the authorities.

HAVE ROSY CHEEKS AND FEEL FRESH AS A DAISY—TRY THIS!

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

To see the tinge of healthy bloom in your face, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, to wake up without a headache, backache, coated tongue or a nasty breath, in fact to feel your best, day in and day out, just try inside-bathing every morning for one week.

Before breakfast each day, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it as a harmless means of washing from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases and acidity and gives you a splendid appetite for breakfast.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at your druggist or general store, but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the blood and internal organs. Those who are subject to constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, rheumatic twinges, also those whose skin is sallow and complexion pallid, are assured that one week of inside-bathing will have them both looking and feeling better in every way.—Adv.

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"Who is the heaviest depositor at your bank?"

"Jobson. He weighs over 300 pounds."

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"Femmina" is the wonder worker for all female disorders. Price \$1.00 and 50c. Adv.

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Colds cause Grip—Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." B. W. GRIFFIN'S signature on box. See.

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Many elderly people suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix it all up. Don't wait for gravel, or Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands, young and old, and are recommended by thousands.

A Mississippi Case

Mrs. M. H. Frey, 215 South St., Okla. Miss., says: "My back was in such bad shape I could hardly get around and I was all run down. I had headaches and terrible dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I doctored for three months, but wasn't helped until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. I have enjoyed good health ever since they rid me of these distressing ailments."

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916

The legislature was in session ten minutes last Saturday and adjourned until Wednesday of this week. That's what may be correctly termed earning per diem per day and going fishing at the same time.

The present legislature has received more condemnation from the press and the public than any similar body within the past fifty years, and the pity is it is deserved. One bill has been passed and signed by the governor to date. Will some well informed calculus student please cipher out the cost of enacting that one law?

The Kentucky Court of Appeals in an opinion handed down last week in the case of Bowman vs Fayette county, holds that a majority of the voters of any county can instruct the fiscal court to issue bonds for the construction of roads. This opinion will be received with genuine satisfaction by everyone who believes in a majority ruling in all public affairs. It is possible that another election will be called at an early date in Calloway county on a road bond issue. Evidently there are many converts to good roads after a winter of almost impassable highways.

He Laughed at Maude.

Maude Mueller on a summer day watched the hired man rake the hay; She laughed and chuckled in her glee When up his pants leg crawled a bee. Later the hired man laughed in turn When a big grasshopper crawled up here.

Make Your Own Healing Remedy at Home.

Buy a 50c bottle of Farris Healing Remedy, add to it a pint of linseed oil to make a healing oil, or add vaseline to make an ointment. You will then have sixteen ounces of the healing remedy for harness and saddle galls, barbed wire cuts, scratches, or any hurt or sore where the skin is broken. Positively guaranteed the best made. Make it at home. By so doing you have \$2.00 worth for 50c.—Sexton Bros.

For Sale.—Single comb brown Leghorn eggs. \$1 per setting of 15; if by mail prepaid \$1.50.—Little Scott, Murray, Ky., Rt. 3, 1 mile southeast of Shiloh. 2173*

Buyers read the Ledger ads.

JACKSON KILLS A BIG TIMBER WOLF

Paris, Tenn., Feb. 23.—Earnest Jackson, sportsman and farmer of near Puryear, was there Monday and told of a successful wolf hunt Saturday in which his thoroughbred dogs won for him a handsome reward in silver besides the carcass of a big grey timber wolf that for three years had terrorized the citizens of Beech Grove church vicinity, on Terrapin creek in Graves county, Ky. Several years ago a wolf was shipped from the west to parties living in that vicinity and it escaped from the cage. There were many attempts to capture the animal but it eluded all efforts of trap, dog and gun. It had grown bold in its thefts and carried away whole flocks of geese and numbers of pigs and lambs, while its howling alarmed the inhabitants every night. Parents were afraid for their children to go far from the yard.

Friday night in company with Romie Overcast and Jim Martin, also of near Puryear, Mr. Jackson with his six dogs set out for the haunts of the wolf. Saturday forenoon, the dogs trailed and for thirty or forty minutes there was a grand race, the hunter said, most of it being a sight race, then the victim turned on its pursuers and two of the dogs received ugly wounds from the creature's teeth and claws before it was killed. The wolf was much larger than any of the dogs that hunted it to its death and its carcass attracted much attention in every town and village through which the hunters traveled returning home.

Mr. Jackson's dogs are high bred fox and wolf hounds, some from famous kennels in Missouri and Kentucky, and part of the pack he bred and trained himself. Mr. Jackson stated that a score or more of dogs had made unsuccessful attempts to catch the wolf and he declares now that his own dogs are second to none.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

LUMBER WANTED.

Wanted 500,000 feet of plain, dry oak lumber; one inch thick. Write A. P. Jacobs, Paris, Tenn.

About People

BRANDON.—John Brandon blew into town the other day and is classing tobacco for Griffin & Pitt. John has been residing down in Marshall county on a farm since last November, at which time he returned from McCaulley, Texas, where he resided the past eighteen months. John looks like he had been made over from toe to teeth and was delighted with the climate of the western town. He was among a lot of other good Calloway folks out there and we take it for granted that these folks took pains to see that John and his family were fed and sheltered. At least we are constrained to believe this because of the fact that John looks about as well as we ever saw him. There is one thing very certain, John either left his hammer in the Lone Star state or wore it out while gone. Nevertheless, John has many friends in the town and county who are glad to welcome him home.

HOLLAND—HART.—Folks who are not by nature obdurate or possessed of a chronic case of grouch, or whom the green monster, jealousy, has not completely consumed, are always glad to see home boys succeed. They even like to see that success come to them in their place of nativity and will lend a helping hand toward advancing every legitimate undertaking. Prentice Holland is a product of Calloway, son of the late Bruce Holland, a former sheriff of Calloway, and he is one of the most reliable young men ever reared in the county and his friends are numbered by his acquaintances. A thorough gentleman, honest, industrious, and everyone wants to see him succeed. Dr. Prince Hart, another Calloway product, son of the late and esteemed Dr. J. G. Hart, a capable young gentleman, learned in his chosen profession, realizes and appreciates the responsibilities of his calling, and a popular citizen deserving of the richest success. These young gentlemen have formed a partnership and will engage in the drug business. They have rented the Gingles building recently vacated by Luther Graham and expect to open for business soon after the first of March. They will carry a complete line of drugs and drug-gist sundries and will give the business care and attention and deserve to succeed.

Medicine or Food.

You have always bought the bulky stock food and given to your stock as a medicine. Why not buy only the medicine and furnish your own food? The medicine will be much more certain. In fact, B. A. Thomas Stock Remedy is so certain to give the right results that we sell it on the money back plan. If it does not straighten up your horse or cow or sheep, we give your money back.—Sexton Bros.

Meets Horrible Death.

Ben Emerson, who conducted a grist mill at Ross' store a few miles of Jones' mill in Henry county, met death in his mill last Friday in a most horrible manner. He was working around the hopper when he stumbled and fell head first into it and was terribly crushed and mangled. Dr. Mason was called to see him but he died a few hours after the accident occurred. He was about 30 years of age and married.

Champion Ringlet Barred rock eggs 75c for 15 packed, or at 50c at home.—Sunny Side Poultry Farm, T. J. Howard, Murray, Rt. 1. Cumb. phone 2 on 109 J.

Why not trade with the house that started the cash system?—Parker & Perdue.

BEGGING HOMES FOR THE KIDDIES

We have all heard of Tuberculosis Sunday, the Big Brother Movement, Mother's Day, Father's Day, and as a natural consequence of the tremendous awakening of interest in home life, Baby Week has been established, and during the week, March 4 to 11, all over the United States a special effort will be made to find homes for babies and small girls and boys. It is hoped that homes will be found for 100,000 children and our state must do her part in the great work.

The Kentucky Children's Home Society is doing its utmost for the children entrusted to its care but in order to achieve the best results, a child needs the love of a father and mother, and home life that is impossible, even in the best maintained institutions. Visitors to the receiving home in Louisville always comment on the happy faces of the children, but when the question is asked, "would you like to have a mama and a papa and a home," the child always answers "yes."

How much joy and sunshine a baby brings to a home. And what man is there, no matter how tired he may be after a day's work, whose heart is not thrilled by the joyous cry, "daddy's coming; I must run to meet him."

The Federal Children's Bureau of Washington, is working for the best interests of the children throughout the United States: the Kentucky Children's Home Society is working for the best interests of the Kentucky children, and it is sincerely hoped it will meet with a most hearty response from the best citizens, and that the homeless child may be brought to the childless home.

Besides the babies in the receiving home there is a large number of small boys and girls. If you are at all interested in the matter of getting a child write to George L. Sehon, State Supt. Kentucky Children's Home Society, 1086 Baxter Ave., Louisville, Ky..

An application will be mailed to you, and if after investigation has been made a baby, or a small boy or girl is placed in your home, you will have done your part towards making baby week a national success.

RECORD OF THE PAST.

No Stronger Evidence Can be Had in Murray.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by is the best guarantee of future results. Any kidney sufferer should find comforting words in the following statement:

Mrs. I. L. Jones, N. Thirteenth St., Mayfield, Ky., says: "I was troubled a great deal by kidney complaint. The kidney secretions were unnatural and I felt miserable. Doan's Kidney Pills soon regulated the kidney action and restored my kidneys to a normal condition."

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Parties who are indebted to Dr. C. N. Crawford or to Crawford & Jones please call and settle same at earliest convenience by note or money.

Mrs. Jennie Crawford, Dr. C. H. Jones.

We give you twice as much for your money in bulk seed as you get in package.—Parker & Perdue.

Rheumatism!

How is rheumatism recognized? Some have said—

Rheumatism is a dull pain.
Rheumatism is a sharp pain.
Rheumatism is sore muscles.
Rheumatism is stiff joints.
Rheumatism is a shifting pain.

All have declared—*Rheumatism is Pain.*

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The blood begins to flow freely—the body's warmth is renewed—the congestion disappears—the pain is gone.

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No deaths or marriages to report but some sickness around.

The people are busy burning plant beds and some are done sowing.

Jason Darnall and wife have moved to their new home.

Look out, girls; Ose Howard says he is going to get a new buggy this spring. Ho, ho!

Mr. Bill Erwin is going to move to Mayfield right soon.

Cliff Marine started to peddling the past week.

Bob Jackson's folks visited at Willie Darnall's Saturday and Sunday.

There was singing at Salem Sunday afternoon and a large crowd attended and the singing was fine.

T. R. Cooper and wife visited their daughter the past week.—Big Bart.

This is the time to tune up your horses and cattle. Dr. Hess' remedy does the work or your money refunded. Hess' Panacea makes hens lay and healthy chicks in the spring. Sold by Bucy Bros.

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McElrath wants your eggs—always pays the highest price.

Silver of Quality and Beauty

Unquestioned durability and exquisite design—the highest ideals in plated ware—are assured in spoons, forks and fancy serving pieces bearing the renowned trade mark

1847 ROGERS BROS.

There are various makes of silver-plated tableware which are claimed to be "just as good," but, like all imitations, they lack the beauty and wearing quality identified with the original and genuine 1847 ROGERS BROS. ware, popularly known as "Silver Plate that Wears."

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

Seed potatoes at McElrath's.

Field and garden seed at Bucy Bros.

Mrs. George Lee, of the east side of the county, died the past week.

A three weeks old infant of Burnett Taylor, near Edgehill, died last Friday.

An infant of Otis Cleaver died in Benton the past week and was buried at Almo.

Tez Sladd left the first of the week for Cincinnati to buy new merchandise for Sladd & Co.

H. E. Holton attended the Louisville auto show this week and transacted business also during his absence.

Be sure to go to R. R. Roberts (near Pine Bluff) Saturday and Monday with your eggs and your chickens. Eggs 20c, hens 14c.

Miss Ila Rudd left the first of the week for Marshall county where she will be the guest of relatives for two weeks or more.

For Sale or Trade.—Groceries, horses, hogs, pigs, cows, second hand buggies, wagon and rags. See Y. E. Williams at Coles grocery.

H. G. Wadlington, Mrs. Wells and Miss Willie Baker left Monday for St. Louis to buy dry goods and millinery for Wadlington & Co.

Mrs. Oran Keys, of Brookport, Ill., is a patient in the Murray Surgical Hospital where she underwent an operation the first of the week.

E. J. Beale attended the Louisville auto show this week. Mrs. Beale was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Martin, in Mayfield, during his absence.

W. P. Brisendine and wife left the first of the week for St. Louis and Chicago to buy a complete line of dry goods and shoes for the new store in this city.

Thos. Cathcart, a well known resident of the Locust Grove section, died last Friday. He was 70 years of age and died after a lingering illness of lung trouble.

A daughter was born to A. E. Benson and wife Tuesday night of this week. Mrs. Benson is at the hospital. Mr. Benson is a member of the drug firm of Dale, Stubblefield & Co.

Miss Lola Mohundro and H. J. Lawrence, of Fulton, were united in marriage the past week in Union City, Tenn. Miss Mohundro is a daughter of A. H. Mohundro, formerly of this county.

Pat Black has accepted a position with E. S. Diuguid & Son and will have charge of the furniture store commencing next Monday. Pat is a well known citizen and has many friends in the county.

Don't fail to go to R. R. Roberts' (near Pine Bluff) Saturday. He will have seed oats, seed potatoes and ship stuff. He also has a new stock of dry goods and hardware and a new lot of tobacco canvass.

Wheat bran \$1.40 per bag at McElrath's.

Barrel guaranteed flour \$6.90, at McElrath's.

Bucy Bros. will pay 11c for nice cured shoulder meat.

Ben Hood, of Memphis, has been the guest of relatives in this city the past several days.

Look over that label on the first page again and come around fourth Monday and square up.

A. J. Beale, of the firm of Beale & Wells, left the first of the week for the Louisville and Cincinnati markets to purchase new goods. He will be absent about ten days.

Willis Wallis came in home the first of the week to remain some time. He has been traveling for a raincoat manufacturing concern, of Union City, Tenn., the past several months.

If you will trade with Parker & Perdue when you go home to dinner the table will be loaded with goodies and your wife will be so happy, and the children won't be afraid to wait, thinking you will eat everything from them.

Mrs. Jagoe, of Cadiz, mother of Mrs. Edwin Wilkerson and Mrs. Clyde Downs, arrived here Monday and is at the home of Mrs. Wilkerson. She will possibly enter the hospital here for treatment and an operation.

Mrs. R. L. Curd, of Childers, Texas, died about ten days ago at an advanced age. Mrs. Curd was a native of Calloway and was a Miss Watkins before her marriage. Mr. Curd is a brother of Dr. E. B. Curd, of Hazel.

Penn Ford and Ned Gardner, paroled colored prisoners, were taken in custody again the first of the week and returned to the penitentiary at Eddyville. They were charged with selling liquor thus violating their paroles.

The home of Foster Padgett, of Hardin, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night of this week. The fire originated in the attic above the head of the stairway and was under such headway when members of the family were aroused that only a few household articles were saved. The building and contents were insured for \$800, while the loss in considerably in excess of that amount.

Rev. E. B. Ramsey, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, Paducah, Ky., arrived here Monday and is assisting Rev. Hassell in a series of meetings at the Methodist church this week. Rev. Ramsey is a very able man and large congregations are hearing his sermons at both afternoon and night services. He will remain for several days.

Clothes that fit well are clothes that look well. The custom-tailored suit, made of substantial, fashionable fabric—tailored to an individual measure—embodies not only perfect fit, but the good appearance that marks anything well made. Quality is proven by appearance—the looks of a custom-tailored suit is an added element which comes from quality. Your measure, correctly taken and a perfect fitting suit guaranteed at \$15 or more.—T. J. Stubblefield.

Jonquils and violets are in bloom.

You can get your frost proof cabbage plants at Parker & Perdue's.

Johnson & Broach are advertising a 9c sale this week. Look up their announcement in this issue of the Ledger.

Nat Ryan and son, Nat Ryan, Jr., left Tuesday for Louisville and Cincinnati to buy seasonable dry goods and clothing. They will be absent for about ten days.

Bryan Eaker, son of J. D. Eaker, west of the city, left Monday of this week for Kansas City, Mo., where he expects to secure a position and reside in the future.

O. T. Hale, accompanied by Mrs. Rella Hale, of the firm of O. T. Hale & Co., left the first of the week for the St. Louis and Chicago markets to spend several days purchasing new merchandise.

Mr. J. B. Daniels, who resides a few miles west of the city on the Mayfield road, has been quite ill for the past ten days. He is about 83 years of age and owing to his years his condition is critical.

Mr. Frederick Guier, of Calloway county, reached here Tuesday at noon to attend the funeral of his uncle, Jas. Mitchell, and will spend several days in the county visiting relatives and old friends.—Cadiz Record.

Noble Harris, who has a position in the state auditor's office, department of insurance, spent several days of the past week in the city. Together with his family returned to Frakfort Tuesday and expect to make that city their home for some time.

Jethro Maddox, formerly of the News, has bought the J. D. McLeod grocery. The deal made Tuesday and Mr. Maddox took charge Wednesday morning. Mr. McLeod will travel for the Exall Co., of Paducah.—Hazel News.

Judge W. F. Peterson and family this week moved to their farm north of Murray several miles, where they will make their residence. Farmer Pete will find the haunts of the old family home familiar in many respects but lacking in many of those associates that made it the home of his boyhood.

A daughter was born to Dr. Julian Dismukes and wife, of Paducah, last Friday. Mrs. Dismukes is at the home of her parents, E. D. Miller and wife, in Hazel. Dr. Wm. Mason, Sr., is now a great-grandfather and was present when the little miss made her arrival in the world. He was present at the birth of each member of the three generations.

The firm of Orr Bros., who have been located at Crossland for the past several years, will move to Hazel the first of March and will open up a stock of goods in the Rose building now occupied by W. J. Bridges' grocery. Mr. Bridges has rented the corner building, east side of Main street, and will move his stock within the next few days.—Hazel News.

Three Persons Painfully Hurt.

Bruce Wells, who resides a few miles east of the city, was unloading hay into the loft of Edgar Purdom's stable the past week when the timbers supporting the loft gave way falling on Mr. Wells. He sustained quite painful injuries to his leg and has been unable to be out since.

John David Williams, who also resides east of the city, was cutting timber the past week when he was caught by a limb of the falling tree and sustained injuries that may cripple him for life. The knee cap was bursted and the flesh from his knee to the foot almost entirely stripped from the injured member.

C. L. Jordan, former sheriff of Calloway county and who now resides across the line in Graves, got to close to the business end of a mule last week and as a result he counted stars several hours. His injuries, while very painful, are not serious. He was at the home of Mark Ligon when the accident occurred.

50,000 lbs. Poultry Wanted at Cherry.

We will pay 13¢ cents in trade for hens, 7 cents for roosters in trade; 12 cents cash for hens, 18 cents for eggs. These prices for February 28, 29 and March 1. We will give one bag good flour to the person bringing the largest amount of produce.—W. L. Baugom & Son, Cherry.

Listen.—If you want red top SEED, red clover SEED, sweet clover SEED, white and mixed oat SEED; winter turf oat SEED, orchard grass SEED, blue grass SEED, sudan grass SEED we have it. Also nitrogen for inoculating for sweet alfalfa clover.—Sexton Brothers. 2242

Poultry and Eggs.—Hens 13¢ cents, roosters 7 cents in trade, eggs 18 cents. Prices effective Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next week, Feb. 28-29 Mch. 1. We will make close prices on all goods.—Cherry & Young, Cherry

Wanted.—An industrious man who can earn \$100 per month and expenses retelling our products to farmers. Must have some means and contract signed by 2 men.—W. T. Rawlign Co. Freeport, Ill. Give age and reference

Here's Top Prices.—Take your eggs and hens to R. R. Roberts (near Pine Bluff) Saturday and Monday and get the highest market price for them. 20 cents for eggs, 14 cents for hens with empty craws; 7 cents for roosters.

Rags.—I pay 75c per 100 for any kind of rags in town. I established the market for rags in Calloway, hold your rags for me. If I fail to see you call 18, Cumb. phone and I'll come.—K. C. Farley.

For Exchange.—Well improved 60 acre farm 4 miles north-west of Murray, near good school and church, fine water. Want to trade for larger place and cheaper land. Address or see T. A. Phelps, Murray, Rt. 2.

Grinding.—Corn ground or crushed Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week at Vancleave, east of town. Meal the best you can get and your patronage will be appreciated and prompt attention given.

Lost.—Clasp brooch of amethysts and opals. Lost several weeks ago on the streets or at the opera house. Prized highly by the owner owing to it being a gift. Return to Ledger office.

For Sale.—Full blood big bone Poland China sow pigs, 2 months old past. Call or write Wit Stone Lynn Grove, Ky. 2242*

Don't fail to see our bulk seed department, the best selection of garden seed that ever came to the city.—Parker & Perdue.

Bucy Bros. have added a nice line of hardware to their business. Try them.

Chase and Sanborn's famous roasted coffees and teas are sold by Bucy Bros.

Big Nine-Cent Sale

This is what all these mysterious 9s refer to in this space. This will begin at our store

Saturday February 26th., 8:30 a. m. Sharp. Ends Saturday Night, March 4.

Here will be the most notable money-saving event this town has seen. You'll hardly believe your eyes when you see what a variety of things, and what big things 9 cents will buy.

JOHNSON & BROACH 5, 10 and 25c Variety Store West Side Square. Murray, Ky.

See Our Big Hand Bills for List of Special Bargains.

Seed oats at McElrath's.

Buy your grass seed at Bucy Bros.

Bag of good flour 85 cents, at McElrath's.

Breeding Stock.—Big bone Poland China, season 50c; also short horn Durham at 75c cash.—U. P. Vasseur, mile north Vancleave.

Pea Hay.—4,000 pounds first class pea hay at 80c delivered or 75c at the barn.—Clarence Luter, south of town. 2172*

All those indebted to Broach & Fain will please come forward and settle as the firm has changed from Broach & Fain to T. W. Fain. The books will be found with Mr. Fain.

Hugh Wear, of Louisville, was in the city this week the guest of his father, A. M. Wear. Hugh is with the Bushmeyer Drug Co., and has a lucrative position, spending a part of the time on the road as traveling salesman for the company.

Ties Wanted. White and red oak ties, 6x8-8 feet long. Made from live oak. 7-inch face for No. 1 ties. No crooked ties or windshakes. Liberal inspection. Received at Murray, Hazel, Almo, Dexter and Hardin. For further information write F. B. Heath, Birmingham, Ky. 2244*

Mrs. Wilma Creason returned from Murray Wednesday where she was the guest of the family of Ray Maddox this and the past week. Benton Tribune.

Mrs. Herbert Bailey and son returned to Murray Tuesday after a visit to the family of J. W. Park the past several days.—Benton Tribune-Democrat.

R. T. Wells returned home last Sunday from Omaha, Nebraska, where he spent the past four weeks attending a meeting of the sovereign managers of the W. O. W. lodge.

We have established an Auction Sale Day for the purpose of bringing the buyer and seller in touch with each other. These sales will take place every Saturday and 4th Mondays at the east end of the Fields Livery Stable. Will have stalls to put your stock in.

We will offer at public auction anything you bring, giving the seller the right to reject any bid not satisfactory. A small commission will be charged on everything offered for sale.

Bring all articles on Saturday or 4th Monday mornings. A man will be there to give all information necessary, and to look after your goods.

Calloway County Auction Sales Comp'y. C. W. DRINKARD, Auctioneer

WHY WAIT?

Why wait until spring to buy your Screen Wire and Doors?

Screen Wire has already advanced and will likely be hard to get later.

We can sell you now at the OLD PRICES.

Do your screening now while you can't do much else, and be ready for your regular spring work when time comes.

ANYTHING YOU NEED IN LUMBER?

Hughes & Irvan Lumber Co.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress. If you will take a Cascaret now and then, all stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Gentler. "Mercy, Harold! Where did you get that black eye?" "Playing shinny, mother." "How often must I tell you not to play those rough games? Why can't you play hockey, like the Jones boys, next door?"

SAGE TEA AND SULPHUR DARKENS YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look Years Younger! Try Grandma's Recipe of Sage and Sulphur and Nobody Will Know.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair. It is a fact, and it is true; it ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger. Adv.

Too Familiar. "Mother, may I go out with Harvey on his bobbed?" "Yes, Eddie, but please, dear, do not be so familiar. Remember, do not say 'bobbed.' Say Robert sled, like a good little boy."

Don't Neglect Kidneys

Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Prescription, Overcomes Kidney Trouble

It is now conceded by physicians that the kidneys should have more attention as they control the other organs to a remarkable degree and do a tremendous amount of work in removing the poisons and waste matter from the system by filtering the blood.

The kidneys should receive some assistance when needed. We take less exercise, drink less water and often eat more rich, heavy food, thereby forcing the kidneys to do more work than nature intended. Evidence of kidney trouble, such as lame back, annoying bladder troubles, smarting or burning, brickdust or sediment, sallow complexion, rheumatism, maybe weak or irregular heart action, warns you that your kidneys require help immediately to avoid more serious trouble.

An ideal herbal compound that has had most remarkable success as a kidney and bladder remedy is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. There is nothing else like it. It is Dr. Kilmer's prescription used in private practice for years to benefit you. Get a bottle from your druggist.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

CLAIMS GREATEST OIL LAND CONTROL.

E. J. Doherty, president of the Mexican Petroleum Company, has announced that the new \$150,000,000 Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company will control the largest oil territory in the world under a single ownership.

DON'T LOSE ANOTHER HAIR

Treat Your Scalp With Cuticura and Prevent Hair Falling. Trial Free.

For dandruff, itching, burning scalp, the cause of dry, thin and falling hair, Cuticura Soap and Ointment are most effective. Touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Then shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. No treatment more successful. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

There are times when a woman is that she suffers in silence.

WHEN THE MEAT IS BOILED

Some Simple Rules That Must Be Observed If the Best Results Are to Be Had.

Boiled meats to be palatable and juicy must be cooked with care and always below the boiling point. To boil meat plunge it into a kettle of boiling water, boil rapidly for five minutes to seal or cement the juices on the outside, then push it to the back of the stove where it cannot possibly boil, but will remain at about 180 degrees Fahrenheit for six or eight hours. A piece of boiled meat should be juicy, tender and rich in flavor. Add salt one hour before the meat is done.

In all methods of cooking the object is to make the meat tender, to increase its flavor, and to retain its juices. No matter which of the methods you choose to accomplish this, we must quickly seal the outside of the meat to prevent the entrance of water and the escape of the juices.

In making soups purchase the shin or leg of beef, and use cold water to draw out the flavoring juices. The object is directly opposite from boiling. By using cold water and cooking the meat at a low temperature, we get the flavoring and stimulating parts of the meat, but we cannot make a meat soup nutritious unless we add other materials. Clear and hot, it is stimulating, but has no food value.

DAINTY MENU FOR BREAKFAST

First Meal of the Day is of Considerable Importance to All the Family.

The question of the breakfast menu depends upon the individual taste. The fruit should not be too cold. The fruits in season should naturally be served. If the tray is of ample size a small compote filled with cherries and currants arranged together on shaved ice is attractive. Oranges should never be sent up on a tray unprepared. Hot toast, preferably unbuttered, seems to be growing in favor for breakfast, though other hot breads are frequently served.

Popovers and crisp corn muffins are excellent for breakfast if they can be served as soon as baked, and with them there should be marmalade of some variety. It is a wise plan to see that the tray is always supplied with a little jar of jam or marmalade.

Staffordshire English Mince Tart. One-half pound of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, four ounces of lard and one teaspoonful of baking powder and enough ice water to mix dough. Sift dry ingredients, rub in lard and mix to a stiff dough with ice water. Let it stand for one hour in a cool place. Roll out thin and cover a pie plate with the paste. Fill with mincemeat, then put strips one-half inch wide across the top, in lattice fashion, to cover the pie. Brush with white of beaten egg and bake in moderate oven until well browned. When ready to cut place one teaspoonful of orange marmalade on each piece. Serve hot with a mug from the wassail bowl.

To brew the wassail—Place in a large punchbowl one lemon and one orange sliced thin, two sticks of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful of grated nutmeg; pour over this one gallon of boiling water. Let this mixture cool and then cut into quarters four apples that have been previously roasted. Serve this drink in punch glasses or mugs.

Make the Beds Correctly. To make up a bed so that it will be smooth, tuck the clothes in, one piece at a time, at the sides, and complete the work all but tucking the clothes in at the foot. Now draw the clothes down, one at a time, as taut as possible, and tuck them in at the foot. The bed will be far nicer looking than would be otherwise possible. If the bed is of iron or brass, which does not permit of tucking in the coverlet, tuck in the other clothes as directed, placing the coverlet over all.

Fish Souffle. One-half pound cooked fish, two eggs, two ounces butter, pepper and salt to taste; anchovy sauce if liked. Pound up the fish, melt the butter, add it to the fish with the beaten yolks of eggs and seasoning. Beat up the whites of eggs to a stiff froth, add them lightly to the other mixture in the pie dish and bake in a quick oven about twenty minutes.

Barley Water. Wash one and a half tablespoonsfuls barley, cover with cold water and soak over night; in the morning add water to one pint, boil until tender and the liquid reduced to one cupful. Strain, season with salt, adding a little milk or cream if desired. Rice water is prepared as barley water, only shorter cooking.

Lung-Trouble Drink. Wash clean a few pieces of Irish moss, put in a pitcher and pour over it two cupsful boiling water; set where it will keep at boiling point, but not boil, for two hours; strain and squeeze into it the juice of one lemon; sweeten to taste. If the patient cannot take lemon, flavor with vanilla or nutmeg.

Ironing Calicoes. Dark calicoes should be ironed on the wrong side with irons that are not too hot.

To Darn Old Linen. The raveled threads from old linen will be found best for darning tablecloths or napkins.

CARRIERS OF DISEASE

Dogs Blamed for Spread of Allments Among Farm Stock.

Department of Agriculture Recently Issued Bulletin on Subject—Should Be Controlled and Properly Cared For.

(By M. C. HALL, Ph. D.) The dog in the country is a useful and pleasant adjunct to the farm if he is properly controlled and cared for, but when neglected, may readily become a carrier of disease to stock, in addition to gaining opportunity to kill sheep and destroy gardens and other property. Dog ordinances as a general rule, have been intended chiefly to curb the dog's power of doing harm by attacking, biting, killing or running sheep or stock. The part that he plays as a carrier of diseases to animals only recently has been recognized, according to the department of agriculture, which has issued a bulletin (No. 269) on the subject, "The Dog as a Carrier of Parasites and Diseases."

Of the diseases carried to stock by dogs, the foot-and-mouth disease is probably of the greatest interest at this time. In this case the dog acts as a mechanical carrier of infection. The dog which runs across an infected farm easily may carry in the dirt on his feet the virus of this most contagious of animal diseases to other farms and thus spread the disease to the neighboring herds. In infected localities it is absolutely essential, therefore, to keep all dogs chained and never to allow them off the farm except on leash.

There are, however, many other maladies in the spread of which the dog takes an active part—rabies, hydatid, ringworm, favus, double-pored tapeworm, roundworm and tongue-worm are often conveyed to human beings in this way. It occasionally happens also that the dog helps fleas and ticks in transmitting bubonic plague or the deadly spotted fever.

Hydatid disease is caused by the presence in the liver, kidneys, brain, lungs and other organs of a bladder-worm or larval tapeworm. Bladder-worms are often as large as an orange and may be larger. A dog which is allowed to feed on carrion or the raw viscera of slaughtered animals may eat all or part of a bladder worm containing numerous tapeworm heads. These tapeworm heads develop into small segmented tapeworms in the intestines of the dog. The tapeworms in turn develop eggs which are passed out in the excrement of the dog. They are spread broadcast on grass and in drinking water where animals can very well eat them and thus become



Head of a Dog Split in Half to Show Three Tongueworms in the Nasal Cavity.

Infected. The hog is particularly liable to this disease because of its rooting habits. The eggs may get into human food, and persons who allow dogs to lick their hands and face also run the risk of getting the eggs of the tapeworm in their systems.

Prevention on the farm consists in so restraining the dog that he cannot get at carrion or raw viscera. Viscera should be boiled before being fed to dogs and should never be thrown on the fields. If not cooked and fed, burned, buried with lime, or so disposed of as not to be accessible to dogs. Proper feeding of the dog is essential, and the owner who does not feed a dog properly has no right to keep one.

ICE DURING SUMMER MONTHS

Commodity Which Every Farmer Can Have by Little Attention to Storage in Winter.

Ice is a commodity which almost every farmer can have during the summer months if a little attention is given to the proper methods of storage during severe cold weather.

A common type of ice house, and one that seems to give good satisfaction, is a pit dug in the ground or on the side of a slope, covered with a board roof to keep out the snow and rain and serve as a shade. Straw is used between the walls of the pit and the ice. One instance has been observed where baled straw was used with good results.

In the construction of any ice house, whether pit or above ground, the walls should be properly insulated so that they will not admit heat from the outside. Ventilation should be provided for the space above the ice by an opening at each end near the peak of the roof.

A Good "Side Line." A profitable side line that can be worked at odd times when other work is slack will go far toward boosting the income of the average farm. Where there is a ledge of salable stone a quarry may be made to fill in gaps in the labor schedule. An outcropping of limestone may be made profitable to the advantage of the whole neighborhood by the installation of a stone crusher or a pulverizer to furnish ground limestone.

FERTILIZER FOR THE GARDEN

Most Satisfactory to Supply Liberal Quantities of All Elements Deficient in Soil.

In a vegetable garden where so many plants are grown with such varying plant food requirements, it is entirely impracticable to attempt to compound fertilizer-formulas suitable for the various groups of vegetables. It is far more satisfactory to supply liberal quantities of all the fertilizing elements deficient in the soil. In this way each plant will be sufficiently supplied with plant food for full development, says Bulletin 106 of the Georgia station.

Animal manures of almost any kind are good for enriching the garden soil. In fact, it is quite difficult to maintain the fertility of a soil so heavily cropped as a vegetable garden unless there is an available supply of animal manures of some kind. Horse stable manure is the most convenient to apply; and it is very excellent for a garden, provided there is not too much coarse particles of bedding applied just before the garden is to be planted. Winter is a good time to apply manure to the garden soil. The manure should be hauled out and spread over all the garden area that is not occupied with vegetables. Even then the manure may be strewn along between the rows of vegetables and allowed to decompose until the vegetables are taken off and the soil turned for another crop. There is little danger of applying too much stable manure to the garden soil; if the manure is well decomposed, or if applied and plowed in a month or two before planting time, it may be used at the rate of 25 to 30 tons per acre with beneficial effect to the crops grown.

PRESERVE THE FENCE POSTS

Average Farmer Can Secure Profitable Results by Heating Butts in Boiling Creosote.

The question of fence posts is getting to be a serious one. Wooden posts are mounting in price very rapidly and are quite often of poor quality. Iron and cement posts are coming into use but there are objections to them because of cost, weight, difficulty of attaching wire and the crumbling of concrete in alkaline soils.

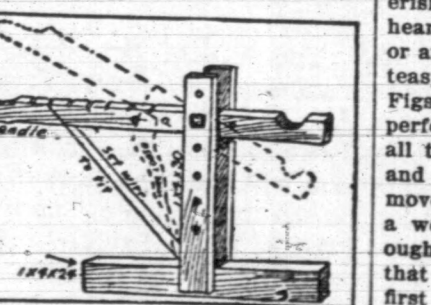
Railroad and telephone companies, using ties and poles, have the same conditions to contend with. They have reduced expenses a good deal by the use of coal tar creosote preservative, forcing it into the ties and poles by hydraulic pressure in closed tanks. Such a plant is not available to the average farmer but he can get much of the same result by heating the butts of posts in boiling creosote for one-half to three or four hours, according to the species of the wood, and then letting the posts cool in the liquid.

The heat forces a part of the air out of the wood and as the post cools the air that is left in the wood contracts and the partial vacuum thus formed draws the creosote into the wood for a one-quarter or one-half inch or more. If this cannot be done, it will pay to paint or dip the butt of the post, for even this will afford considerable protection against rotting.

JACK FOR LIFTING VEHICLES

Handy Device May Be Constructed Out of One-by-Four-Inch Boards—Hay Wire Holds Lever.

To make a jack for lifting wagons and buggies, take a 24-inch length of 1 by 4 board for a base and nail a 30-inch 1 by 4 upright on each side. Bore half-inch holes through these



Handy Wagon Jack.

uprights every 3 inches the full length of both boards. Fit a 30-inch piece of 1 by 4 between them for a lever, with several half-inch holes through it so it can be adjusted to any position, and with grooves in the upper edge. A length of common hay wire will hold the adjustment for heavy wagons, etc. If a stronger jack is needed the 1 by 4's may be replaced by lumber of 2 by 4 dimensions.

GREAT BENEFIT IN ROTATION

Prevents Diseases and Insect Pests—Insects Thrive Only on Certain Kind of Plants.

The successive crops in any rotation should be so selected and arranged that no two upon which the same pest may thrive will be grown in succession.

The principles of disease control by means of crop rotation are based upon the fact that certain pests can thrive only on certain kinds of plants. Therefore, when the crops are changed and the food supply thereby cut off, the pests must perish or be greatly reduced in number.

Best Ration for Sheep. Timothy hay is a very poor sheep forage. Clover, alfalfa and oats with some bran form a better ration.

A Woman's Problem

How to Feel Well During Middle Life Told by Three Women Who Learned from Experience.

The Change of Life is a most critical period of a woman's existence, and neglect of health at this time invites disease and pain. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs. Read these letters:—



Philadelphia, Pa.—"I started the Change of Life five years ago. I always had a headache and backache with bearing down pains and I would have heat flashes very bad at times with dizzy spells and nervous feelings. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new person and am in better health and if applied and plowed in a month or two before planting time, it may be used at the rate of 25 to 30 tons per acre with beneficial effect to the crops grown."

Beverly, Mass.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for nervousness and dyspepsia, when I was going through the Change of Life. I found it very helpful and I have always spoken of it to other women who suffer as I did and have had them try it and they also have received good results from it."—Mrs. GEORGE A. DUNBAR, 17 Roundy St., Beverly, Mass.

Erie, Pa.—"I was in poor health when the Change of Life started with me and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, or I think I should not have got over it as easy as I did. Even now if I do not feel good I take the Compound and it restores me in a short time. I will praise your remedies to every woman for it may help them as it has me."—Mrs. E. KISLING, 931 East 24th St., Erie, Pa.

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving women's suffering as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women may receive free and helpful advice by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Such letters are received and answered by women only and held in strict confidence.

Affected by "War Business." The population of Bridgeport, Conn., is estimated to have increased during the present year by about 25,000—growing from 115,000 to 140,000. Twenty thousand persons are said to be employed in Bridgeport by one concern, in three shifts of eight hours each. This phenomenal activity is the result of "war business."

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation, poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Expert Advice. "What would you do about this deadlock?" "Get a key to the situation."

DEATH LURKS IN A WEAK HEART, so on first symptoms use "Renovine" and be cured. Delay and pay the awful penalty. "Renovine" is the heart's remedy. Price \$1.00 and 50c.—Adv.

Paper matches are built into a new paper cigarette box.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Naturally poets are born, but cooks are better paid. There's a reason! Files Relieved by First Application. And cured in 6 to 14 days by FALLOUT OINTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money if it fails. 50c.

Many a bluffer has a wife that he is unable to bluff.

Write Us a Postal Card Today

Just say:—"Please send me free full information how I can obtain a complete set of Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware free by saving the trade mark signatures from packages of SKINNER'S MACARONI and SPAGHETTI PRODUCTS"

We will answer by return mail and, in addition, will send you a beautiful 36 page book of recipes. Skinner's products are the highest quality and help you cut down wonderfully on meat bills.

SKINNER MANUFACTURING CO. The Largest Macaroni Factory in America Omaha, U. S. A.

AILING WOMEN NEED THIS FAMOUS DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION

Thousands of women who are now blessed with robust health cannot understand why thousands of other women continue to worry and suffer from ailments peculiar to women when they can obtain for a trifling sum Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which will surely and quickly banish all pain, distress and misery and restore the womanly functions to health.

This prescription of Dr. Pierce's extracted from roots and herbs is a temperance remedy.

To get rid of irregularities, or catarrhal condition, to avoid pain at certain times, to overcome irritability and weakness, waste no time, but get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form this very day.

The Test.
"How can I be sure you love my daughter for herself alone?"
"Put all her money in my name and see if I don't marry her anyhow!"

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any drugist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Historical Records Lost.

There are two great nations of antiquity whose inscriptions cannot yet be read—the Etruscans and the Hittites. The Etruscans occupied a part of Italy corresponding roughly to what is now known as Tuscany. The Hittites at one time occupied a part of Palestine, and united with the Canaanites to resist the invasion by the Israelites under Joshua. The Etruscan and Hittite inscriptions have thus far resisted the attempts of scholars to decipher them; though no one knows when someone may stumble on a bilingual inscription which will serve as a key, just as the Rosetta stone, discovered in Egypt in 1799, served as a key to the Egyptian hieroglyphics. In the new world, the so-called Maya inscriptions, found on the ruins in Yucatan, are also a puzzle to scientists.—Christian Herald.

At Work on Magnetic Survey.

The magnetic survey vessel, the Carnegie, at present under the command of J. P. Ault of the department of terrestrial magnetism, arrived at Port Lyttleton, New Zealand, on November 3, after a successful continuous trip of 90 days from Dutch Harbor, Alaska. Leaving Port Lyttleton on December 5, the Carnegie is now engaged on the accomplishment of the circumnavigation of the region between the parallels 50 degrees and 60 degrees south, where almost no magnetic data have been obtained during the last 75 years.

"ANURIC!" NEWEST IN CHEMISTRY

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, head of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments for several years proved that there is no other eliminator of uric acid comparable. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, scalding urine and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism. "Anuric" acts quickly. In rheumatism of the joints, in gravel and gout, invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

Send Dr. Pierce 10c for large trial package. Full treatment 50c. All druggists.

No Doubt.
"Money has wings."
"I suppose that is why we speak of taking a flyer."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Groves

The Old Standard Groves' Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Long in Secret Service.

William J. Flynn, chief of the federal secret service, the man responsible for unearthing the alleged foreign spy system, is a native of New York, and, save for six months, has been in the government service since 1897. During 1910-1911 he reorganized the New York detective bureau and then returned to government service. He began life as a plumber, but cherished a desire to be a detective. Soon after being appointed to the secret service he became a division chief and was assigned to the Pittsburgh division. He was transferred to New York in 1900 and later was assigned to the task of safeguarding the Russian and Japanese peace commissioners at Port mouth.

Putting Papa Wise.

"Papa," said the hopeful youth, "can you tell me what is natural philosophy?"

"Of course I can," said papa, proud and relieved to find that there was at least something he could tell his offspring. "Natural philosophy is the science of cause and reason. Now, for instance, you see the steam coming out of the spout of the kettle, but you don't know why or for what reason it does so, and—"

"Oh, but I do, papa," chirped the hope of the household. "The reason the steam comes out of the kettle is so that mamma may open your letters without your knowing it."

Miss Geneva Moeser, twenty-one, succeeds her deceased father as auditor of St. Clair, Missouri.

Kin Hubbard Essays

TH' WORLD T'DAY

By KIN HUBBARD.

It's been about thirty-five years since ole Marsh Swallow used t' drop in Cale Fluhart's sanctum of a mornin' an' look over th' only daily paper that come t' town an' then put his steel rimmed spectacles back in a tin case an' remark: "Well, Cale, it looks like th' world wuz goin' t' h—!" I reckon a good many folks arrive at th' same conclusion t'day after they skim over th' newspaper headlines. Yet look back at th' things that have happened since ole Marsh Swallow's day—things that threatened th' very life o' th' nation—an' then look at th' world t'day. She-chugs along as merrily as you please without even a loose fender. We're all too ready t' view with



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alarm. We give up too easy after readin' th' newspapers. Jest because some feller kills his wife an' shoots himself in th' arm is no reason why we should all prepare for th' worst. Fads an' panics an' crims waves come an' go an' are soon forgotten. In spite of all th' newspaper headlines to th' contrary th' world is growin' better an' it's a great privilege t' live in it even if you're peddlin' lead pencils.

There's an ever increasin' demand for croquet sets, an' skilled scientists are devotin' their best licks t' th' prolongin' o' human life. Th' softenin' influence o' women an' girls in th' trades an' professions tends t' sweeten labor, easy modes o' transportation brings friends an' relatives t' th' closest intimacy. It's some world.

This is th' age o' runnin' in debt, which proves our confidence in th' future. Th' elimination o' waste has

o' ever sort are provided for those who neglected t' learn a trade. It's a great world.

An industrial relapse has been averted, an' moral ruin has been invariably linked with ever' social spasm, yet here we are.

Don't git a warped view o' life on account of a few scattered crimes. Some lose interest in life because some wife murderer gits paroled, or a bank wrecker gits a new trial. Don't become a sallow calamity howler with a clogged liver an' a vibratin' Adam's apple on account o' th' tango, ankle switch an' lein'glass stockin's. There's still lots o' good in th' world outside th' safe belt.

Wear th' smile o' optimism, even if it does make you look like a young widower.

Our Mania fer Amusement

That our modern mania fer entertainment is fast underminin' th' spiritual an' commercial life o' th' nation beyond a doubt is th' opinion o' Rev. Wiley Tanager, who, last night, addressed th' graduatin' class o' Dal Plum's barber college. After deploirin' th' passin' o' th' ole family circle an' th' undershirt Dr. Tanager said in part as follows:

"Followin' close upon th' heels o' our craze t' be amused, has come a brazen an' almost brutal indifference toward work. T'day a job is regarded as merely a steppin' stone t' a vacation—t' swell clothes an' a good time. Sunday is marked by th' hurryin' an' scurryin' o' those on pleasure bent. Decoration day has lost its identity an' Saturday night is an orgy. Th' player pianist with its ragtime rolls has backed th' library on th' back porch, an' a stack o' phonograph records has th' place o' honor on th' cen-



"Th' Thirst fer Pleasure Has Long Since Infested th' Broad, Profitable Farms o' th' Countryside, an' th' Tanned an' Brawny Sons o' th' Wealthy Farmer Perch Dejectedly on th' Barbed Fences an' Sigh fer th' Conquested City With Its Smells an' Tribulations, While His Daughters Droop an' Fade at th' Prospect o' Endin' Their Days Se fer Removed From th' Centers o' Danger an' Merriment."

ter table once held by th' family Bible. Th' theaters run th' year around an' music an' vaudeville are served with our chops. After ever' little task comes a longin' fer diversion. Women can't shop without a film between ever' purchase. Our very churches have kitchens an' stereopticon lanterns. A movin' picture theater thrives where three grocers failed before. Th' thirst fer pleasure has long since infested th' broad profitable farms o' th' countryside, an' th' tanned an' brawny sons o' th' wealthy farmer perch dejectedly on th' barbed fences an' sigh fer th' conquested city with its smells an' tribulations, while his daughters droop an' fade at th' prospect o' endin' their days se fer removed from th' centers o' danger an' merriment. In th' busy factory an' dinky sweat shop men an' women count the minutes till knockin' off time when they are t' hurry home an' doll up an'

deeply regret Dr. Tanager's remarks, an' regard his address as bein' discouragin' t' capital. President McGee o' th' Excelsior-Comfort Factory challenges th' truth o' many o' Dr. Tanager's assertions, growin' particularly heated as he denied that "ny one o' his three employees hurried home after work t' dress up. He also went so far as t' say that t' his certain knowledge over one-half o' his employees had never seen a film much less a cafe. However, th' sentiment agin Dr. Tanager cooled an' softened considerably toward evenin' when it was learned he has dyspepsia. (Copyright, Adams Newspaper Service.)

Knew It Was Something French. "I am afraid your daughter, Mrs. Comeup, has not enough savoir-faire. 'Dear me! Do you think we'll have to wait until the war is over to get her more from Paris.'"

CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK, UGH! IT'S MERCURY AND SALIVATES

Straighten Up! Don't Lose a Day's Work! Clean Your Sluggish Liver and Bowels With "Dodson's Liver Tone."

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. Take a dose of the vile, dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you feel sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't

straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

Claims Lye Is Not Injurious.
Prof. M. E. Jaffe of the California state board of health denies that, as is generally believed, lye-peeled peaches are more injurious to health than hand-peeled fruits. The food value, quality and flavor are unchanged, and it is impossible to distinguish one from the other except by the knife marks of the hand-peeled product, he says. Analyses show that the acidity of the fruit is not affected by the use of lye in the peeling process.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girl! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try the Moist Cloth.

Try as you will, after an application of Moist Cloth, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all. Adv.

Some Weight.
Redd—How much does his automobile weigh?
Greene—You mean with the mortgage?

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* in Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

A saturated solution of celluloid in banana oil makes a durable lacquer for brass.

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY
Is her hair. If yours is streaked with ugly, grizzly, gray hairs, use "La Creole" Hair Dressing and change it in the natural way. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

You may do things as well as others—if you try.

Kansas City Women Opposed To Giving Children Medicine

They Find "External" Treatment Better Than Internal Medicines for Children's Colds.

We give below letters from a number of Kansas City, Mo., ladies who were selected by their druggists to try out Vap-O-Rub—the "outside" treatment for cold troubles, introduced in Kansas City last winter. Vap-O-Rub is the invention of a North Carolina druggist. It comes in salve form, and has a two-fold action—first, the body heat releases the ingredients in the form of vapors, that are inhaled with each breath—second, Vap-O-Rub is absorbed through and stimulates the skin, aiding the vapors inhaled to relieve the congestion.

Mrs. James Hollens, 1928 Tracy Ave., has used Vick's Vap-O-Rub for colds in the chest and asthma, and has also used it on her children, and "fads it excellent."

Mrs. Almira Turner, 1214 E. 24th St., relieved her husband of bronchitis with two nights' applications. She also used on her four months old baby for cold and on the other children, and says—"I find Vap-O-Rub does everything you say."

Mrs. T. L. Marshall, 135 N. Lawrence Ave., has two children, one six

years old and one eight months old. The baby last winter had an obstinate cough for quite a while. Mrs. Marshall used Vap-O-Rub and writes—"The cough soon yielded to this treatment after several different cough medicines had been tried with no effect." Mrs. Marshall also writes—"Vap-O-Rub appeals to us because the delicate little stomachs are not being loaded down with medicines containing opium and other harmful ingredients."

Mrs. J. S. Hollis, 3623 Forest Ave., used Vap-O-Rub for "a terrific cold," could not breathe through my nose at all—impossible to go to sleep. Used Vick's Vap-O-Rub and in five minutes was asleep and breathing easily."

Mrs. W. A. Winkler, 6223 E. 18th St., says—"My baby had a cold, almost pneumonia. I used Vap-O-Rub on him as directed, and in one day's time he was better."

Mrs. Anna Taylor, 6040 Walrond Ave., has four children, and says—"I have never used anything as good for coughs and colds as Vap-O-Rub."

Mrs. Harry Webb, 2123 E. 37th St., says—"Our little girl is very susceptible to colds, and in fact this is the only winter and spring that she has escaped pneumonia, and we believe it is Vap-O-Rub that has kept her from spell this year." Three also—50c and \$1.00.

VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

Better Corn Flakes—

made by a brand new process—mighty tasty and always ready to serve.

New Post Toasties

resulting from years of practice and study, are the inner-sweet meats of choicest Indian Corn skillfully toasted to a crackly, golden-brown crispness.

By a new process the true corn flavour, unknown to corn flakes of the past, is brought out in every flake.

As you pour Toasties from the package, note the little pearly "puffs" on the flakes—a distinguishing characteristic of these New Toasties. Another point—they don't mush down when cream or milk is added.

Insist upon these distinctive corn flakes—the New Post Toasties—

**They're New and Different
and Mighty Good!**

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

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"Hunt's Cure" is absolutely guaranteed to cure Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, or any Skin Disease, or purchase price cheerfully refunded. Sold everywhere for 50c. a box, or write, A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

EARLY VELVET BEANS FOR SALE

Greatest of all land improvers for the cotton States. \$2.00 per bushel. F. A. RUSH, RICHLAND, GA. Wanted Old Faste Teeth. We pay as high as \$2 for broken, Western Metal Co., Birmingham, Ill.

White Leptorium by the thousand. Write for catalogue. Golden Rod Egg Farm, Hamiltonburg, Ky.

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Men women and children rely upon

Rexall Orderlies

The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste to relieve constipation and sluggish livers

10¢ 25¢ 50¢

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size 10 cents.

DALE & STUBBLEFIELD
THE REXALL STORE

TIMELY ADVICE TO TOBACCO RAISERS

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 21.—Professor Nicholls, of the State University agricultural station, who visited the dark tobacco district of the state as a special representative of the experiment station last week, in his report to the station says a critical situation has been caused in that section by the lack of market for tobacco and suggests that the farmers of Western Kentucky turn to diversified farming and produce only light crops. The report states that there is no single crop which can replace tobacco in that section, but that a complete change to growing green crops, cow peas, soy beans, corn, garden truck, for use in home and on farm, seeds and hog raising. Cows and poultry in a greater quantity will be the best way to meet the conditions.

Prof. Nicholls worked in cooperation with Prof. L. R. Neal, of the Tennessee experimental station, and the two representatives spent several days studying the situation. They undertook to look over the condition and advise concerning the modification of the existing emergency at the request of the Planters Protective Association.

"A peculiar and distressing situation is faced by the farmers of the dark tobacco section," the report reads. "Dark tobacco is the principal source of income in the region and has been grown by many farmers to the neglect of other crops. The greater part of the tobacco produced in this district is bought by foreign buyers and goes to European countries.

"The average price paid under normal conditions for dark tobacco is nine cents a pound. There has been practically no market for tobacco since the beginning of the European war. Less than forty per cent. of the 1916 crop has been sold and that was sold at four and a half cents a pound. Ocean freight rates, which were formerly \$3.00 per hogheads, are now \$18 and the insurance has risen from \$1.00 to \$6.00.

The seriousness of the situa-

tion in Western Kentucky, according to Prof. Nicholls, is made greater because tobacco has been the principal source of income for so long that the production of other crops has been almost excluded. There is no other product that can take the place of tobacco in that section as hemp has in the burley belt. Tobacco and grain have been grown there until the soil is at present very much depleted and can produce only light crops. The acreage is thin and lacks humus.

The report suggests that an exchange be made from raising tobacco and grain and advises that the best results may be obtained from giving attention to the things with which the agriculturists of the section are familiar. Hogs, farm poultry and cows are suggested as money bringers. The market for these is always good. Small increase in the number of sows, pigs and shoats raised on the different farms in the district will add hundreds of thousands of dollars to the region. A small added income may result from the production of poultry and garden vegetables, such as Irish and sweet potatoes, beans and sorghum, etc.

The exchange to the raising of versatile crops should be able to secure for the farmers in the aggregate an income sufficient to go a long way toward piecing out the reduced income resulting from the curtailment of tobacco acreage. It should also increase the productiveness and build up the soil.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, and good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price, \$1.00.

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body. In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, dizziness, nervous sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown.

To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take. Its rich nutrient gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

TRICKED BY A RUSE

British Cruiser, Masked, Sinks German Submarine.

Superstructure of Supposed Merchantman Collapses, Revealing Big Gun by Which Submarine is Sent to the Bottom.

New York.—The latest ruse adopted by the British navy to sweep the seas of the German submarines was related by Mr. Frank P. Boulton, who was a passenger on board the Noordam of the Holland-American line. Mr. Boulton received his information from Captain Anderson of the Norwegian steamship Vitalia, who asserted that he witnessed the destruction of a U-boat by a British cruiser.

According to the Norwegian captain, Mr. Boulton said, several of the British light cruisers have been disguised as merchantmen, with false funnels and superstructure.

The Vitalia was in the channel when she saw a merchant vessel, flying the British flag, stopped a short distance from her by a submarine. The submarine, awash, ran close to the British vessel, and her conning tower opened. The German failed the merchantman, when through their glasses the Vitalia's captain saw the superstructure of the British vessel suddenly collapse, revealing a large gun. The next instant the gun was fired, blowing the submarine's conning tower away, and the U-boat sank in a swirl of frothing water. The commander of the submarine and one other man were saved by the English vessel, the Norwegian captain said.

Mr. Boulton while in Holland found out two clever schemes of the Germans to smuggle contraband of war through Dutch territory, he said. German agents in Holland had gathered large quantities of copper, which was molded into the shape of anchors. German barges and other light craft coming down the Rhine to Dutch ports would leave their iron anchors, replacing them with the copper imple-

ments, which in full view on the cat-heads of the German boats, would be taken back on the return trip. This ruse was discovered by the British agents in Holland and reported to the Dutch authorities, who now inspect every anchor on German vessels.

For obtaining benzine and gasoline the Germans had another trick. A Dutch railroad inspector, inspecting a trainload of cement building blocks bound for Germany, accidentally tapped one of the bricks with a hammer. The block cracked and benzine gushed out. The blocks were hollow and each one was filled with the precious liquid. This practice has, of course, been stopped.

Passengers on board the Noordam had the war brought close to them from the moment the vessel left Rotterdam until she had put the British coast far astern. The Noordam was surveyed by German submarines off the coast of Holland, was boarded by British officers while at Deal, when seven of her passengers, said to be Austrians, were arrested and taken ashore, and was held up four days in the Downs before she was allowed to proceed.

The Noordam carried 21 first and 139 second cabin passengers and 185 persons in her staterooms.

SAYS GUESSES "DON'T GO"

Portland (Ore.) Judge Insists on More Evidence in Divorce Case in His Court.

Portland, Ore.—"They are not going to make Reno, Nev., out of my court," Judge McGinn assured Glenn M. Wambold, a physician, when Wambold's suit for divorce came up before him.

Wambold testified that he was married in Pennsylvania in 1902. He said he left town in 1909 to start a chicken ranch, and when he got back Mrs. Wambold was gone.

"Did she leave with another man?" was asked.

"I guess so," said Wambold.

"Guesses don't go here," said the judge.

"You'll have to have more evidence before you will get a divorce here."

VERY RICH RARE IN SWEDEN

Sixty Cents a Day is Common and Little Wealth is Found Among People.

Stockholm.—It appears from the returns of the tax commissioners that there are in Sweden 800,000 persons out of 5,639,000 population whose income exceeds 30 cents a day.

Most of the people in Sweden are farmers or fishermen, who largely live on the food they grow or catch, and need use money only for clothing and a few articles such as sugar, coffee, kerosene and tobacco.

There are fewer millionaires in Sweden than in any other country in Europe, except possibly Norway. There are only 698 persons with incomes over \$21,440 a year and scarcely 5,000 whose income exceeds \$100 a week.

Undertaker's Note.

Walla Walla, Wash.—Sacred music at funeral services, played on a phonograph, for those who are unable to afford more expensive music, is the latest innovation of the undertakers. One of the machines, with a program of records, was purchased by the undertakers here, and will be used from now on whenever the opportunity offers.

DIRECTORY WEST MURRAY CIRCUIT

Rev. J. C. Rudd, pastor of the West Murray Circuit, Methodist church, recently compiled and had printed a complete directory for his charges which contains much valuable information, and is printed following:

Appointments:

Goshen, First Sunday, 11:00 a. m. Martin Chapel, Second Sunday, 11:00 a. m. Lynn Grove, Third Sunday, 11:00 a. m. Coles Camp Ground, Fourth Sunday, 11:00 a. m.

Sunday School:

Goshen, Every Sunday. Clint Kemp, Superintendent, Murray, Rt. 1. Martin Chapel, Every Sunday. R. E. Broach, Superintendent, Murray. Lynn Grove, Every Sunday. F. P. Parks, Superintendent, Murray, Rt. 6. Coles Camp Ground, Every Sunday. R. C. Green, Superintendent, Murray, Rt. 6.

Stewards:

Goshen. D. A. Moore, Murray, Rt. 6. W. H. Jetton, Murray, Rt. 2. L. F. Crawford, Murray, Rt. 6. J. I. Brewer, Murray, Rt. 2. J. S. Kemp, Murray, Rt. 1. Martin Chapel. E. J. Miller, Murray, Rt. 5. W. T. Fair, Murray, Rt. 5. O. A. Johnson, Murray, Rt. 5. E. M. Farmer, Murray, Rt. 1. J. B. Robertson, Murray, Rt. 1. R. E. Broach, Murray. D. W. Padgett, Murray. Lynn Grove. Lee Clark, Chairman of Board, Lynn Grove. W. B. Howard, Lynn Grove. I. T. Crawford, Lynn Grove. A. K. Crawford, Farmington, Rt. 3. Robert Howard, Farmington. G. E. Ford, Murray, Rt. 6. J. W. Driver, Murray, Rt. 4. Coles Camp Ground. C. H. Morris, Almo, Rt. 2. R. N. Melugin, Murray, Rt. 2. J. A. Stroud, Murray, Rt. 2. T. A. Jones, Murray, Rt. 2. O. A. Johnson, Recording Steward, Murray, Rt. 5. D. A. Moore, District Steward, Murray, Rt. 6.

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Goshen. J. S. Kemp, Murray, Rt. 1. L. F. Crawford, Murray, Rt. 6. T. W. Fain, Murray. Martin Chapel. William Fizer, Murray, Rt. 5. O. W. Harrison, Murray, Rt. 1. C. H. Luter, Murray. Lynn Grove. E. H. James, Lynn Grove. I. T. Crawford, Lynn Grove. Noah Myers, Murray, Rt. 4. Coles Camp Ground. W. B. Jones, Murray, Rt. 2. J. A. Graham, Murray, Rt. 6. C. H. Morris, Almo, Rt. 2.

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You can make a fancied saving by buying inferior seed and "Reap a Harvest of Regret."

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The Sure Growing Kind

AND REAP A GOLDEN HARVEST

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Alternates:

Goshen. F. E. Crawford, Murray, Rt. 6. Martin Chapel. Clarence Luter, Murray. Lynn Grove. Bernard Crawford, Lynn Grove. Coles Camp Ground. Calvin Wrecker, Murray, Rt. 2.

Financial Assessment, 1915-16:

For Presiding Elder. \$ 125.00
For Pastor. 900.00
For Benevolent Claims. 463.00
Total. \$1,488.00

Apportioned as follows:
Goshen. For the support of the ministry, \$255; benevolent claims, \$110.
Martin Chapel. For the support of the ministry, \$290; benevolent claims, \$125.
Lynn Grove. For the support of the ministry, \$325; benevolent claims, \$140.
Coles Camp Ground. For the support of the ministry, \$155; benevolent claims, \$65.

Let us trust God and go Forward.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is a result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to the normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's catarrh cure. Send for circular, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 76c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Bucy Bros. guarantee every package of Hess Stock Tonic and Poultry Panacea. Not as good as any, but the best. 2174

"Corns All Gone! Let's ALL Kick!"

Every Corn Vanishes by Using Wonderful, Simple "Geta-It" Never Fails. Applied in 2 Seconds.

Isn't it wonderful what a difference just a little "Geta-It" makes, on corns and calluses? It's always right somewhere in the world, with many



"Wheel I Don't Care! I Got Rid of My Corns With Geta-It!"

Folks humped up, with cork-screwed faces, gouging, picking, drilling out their corns, making packages of their toes with plasters, bandages, tape and contraptions,—and the "holier" in their corns goes on forever! "Don't you do it. Use "Geta-It." It's marvelous, simple, never fails. Apply it in 2 seconds. Nothing to stick to the stocking, hurt or irritate the toe. Pain stops. Corn comes "clean off," quick. It's one of the gems of the world. Try it—you'll kick—from joy. For corns, calluses, warts, bunions. "Geta-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Murray and recommended as the world's best corn remedy.—H. P. Wear.

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